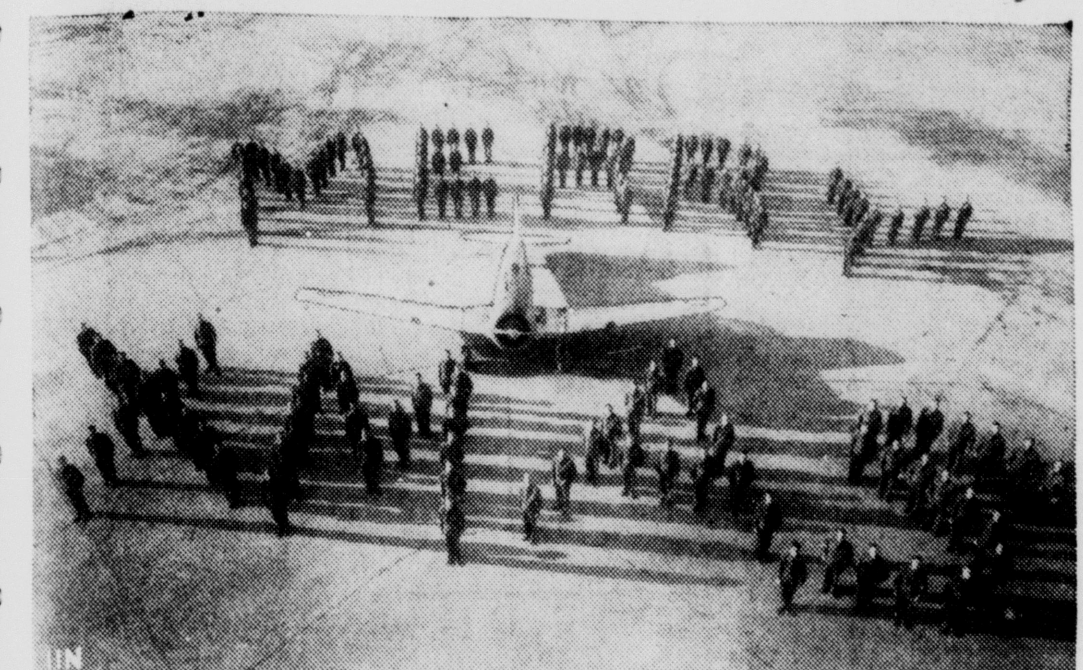


They'll Soon Be Sky-Writing Other Messages



An old greeting is spelled out by U. S. aviation cadets in the Southwest Air Corps Training Center at Maxwell field, near Montgomery, Ala. Soon, however, these flyers may be writing more war-like messages in the sky.

Jap Soldiers Land On Wake, Marines' Mid-Pacific Isle

BATTLE SPEEDS UP NORTH OF MANILA

U. S. Mechanized Groups Reported Reinforcing American Tanks

(By Associated Press) U. S. army mechanized forces were reported speeding to reinforce American tanks locked in battle with Japanese invasion columns 125 miles north of Manila today amid persistent but unconfirmed reports that 47 Japanese transports had been sunk off the Luzon coast.

Late dispatches from Manila said heavy casualties resulted when Japanese warplanes bombed a center reserved for persons removed from the Philippine capital and other towns.

First eye-witness accounts of the Lingayen invasion front north of Manila said "the Filipinos are plenty mad and morale is excellent among troops and civilians."

A long line of Japanese ships, faintly discernible through a low-lying mist, was reported off the coast and the thunder of heavy artillery fire rolled incessantly across the countryside.

An American observer said he saw U. S. mechanized units heading toward the tank battle, but the movements of both armies were so fast he could not size up the situation accurately.

CANADIANS HIT IN HONGKONG BATTLE

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 23.—Canadian and other British troops are stubbornly holding three positions at Hongkong but the Canadians have suffered heavy casualties and their commander, Brigadier J. L. Lawson, is believed to have been killed Canadian defense headquarters announced today.

The senior staff officer, Col. Patrick Hennessy, has been killed by shell fire, said the announcement, issued by Defense Minister J. L. Ralston.

He said two Canadian counterattacks had failed to make progress and that the situation as disclosed in reports up to 6 p. m. yesterday was critical despite heavy losses inflicted on the enemy.

The Japanese have landed reinforcements and are attacking continuously, he added.

13TH JAP ATTACK GAINS FOOTHOLD

No Announcement Made as To Defense Tactics of Devil Dogs

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—A Japanese force was landed on Wake Island.

In making this announcement today the navy said that enemy units of unspecified strength landed this morning on the tiny mid-Pacific island where marines have beaten off repeated onslaughts by enemy aircraft and naval units.

The small garrison underwent a strong air attack yesterday morning, the communique stated, in which several enemy planes were shot down.

ANOTHER TANKER ATTACKED BY AXIS

Fired On Six Miles Off California Coast; No Word From Ship

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—The navy confirmed today that an enemy ship fired on the tanker Larry Doheny six miles off Estero bay. There has since been no communication with the tanker.

The Larry Doheny, owned by Richfield Oil, was of 4,348 net tons. There were reports from residents of Estero bay, that lifeboats bearing survivors were being landed on the coast.

Sounds of gunfire and of a shattering explosion were heard at Estero bay and at Morro bay, on the coast off San Luis Obispo, before dawn. Flashes from the guns could be seen on shore.

Estero bay is about midway between San Francisco and Los Angeles.

The gunfire appeared to be about six miles at sea, north of the bay. Shooting started at 3:10 a. m. and continued intermittently until about 6 o'clock. The mighty explosion which rattled windows and doors of houses was felt around 4 a. m.

It was the seventh enemy attack in nearby Pacific waters since opening of the war. Yesterday 30 survivors of the torpedoed tanker Enidco were landed at Eureka. The Enidco submarine may have been damaged, Captain Clark A. Farrow of the Enidco said.

TEMPERATURES

SALEM WEATHER REPORT

Yesterday, noon	50
Yesterday, 6 p. m.	49
Midnight	42
Today, 6 a. m.	51
Today, noon	50
Maximum	51
Minimum	47
Precipitation, inches	.33

Year Ago Today

Maximum	48
Minimum	33

NATION-WIDE REPORT (By Associated Press)

City	Today's	Yest'
Amarillo	30	52
Atlanta	48	59
Boston	31	40
Buffalo	40	52
Chicago	48	66
Cincinnati	50	68
Cleveland	47	58
Columbus	48	63
Denver	12	29
Detroit	47	56
Duluth	28	35
El Paso	27	50
Kansas City	40	60
Los Angeles	49	65
Miami	73	75
Minneapolis-St. Paul	32	37
New Orleans	71	73
New York	33	36
Phoenix	32	61
Pittsburgh	44	52
Portland, Ore.	40	55
San Francisco	48	55
Washington	34	44

Yesterday's High

Corpus Christi, Tex.	78
Sheridan, Wyo.	4

FDR CALLS "WAR COUNCIL"; TO TALK WITH CHURCHILL

NEW THRUST BY GERMANS IS FORECAST

Fresh Strategy Expected As Nazis Are Jarred On Two Fronts

RUSSIA AND LIBYA ARMIES RETREATING

Turkey, Gibraltar, British Isles Seen As Likely New Targets

(By Associated Press) Sharp new reverses jarred Adolf Hitler's invasion armies on two fronts today—in Russia and North Africa—as the world speculated on the possibility of a sudden berserk thrust by the führer in an attempt to retrieve his tattered military fortunes.

European observers predicted that Hitler, in his new role as supreme war lord of the German armies, would soon try to open a new front in regions less hostile to blitzkrieg campaigning than winter-frozen Russia.

Likely Targets

Turkey and the Middle East, Spain, Gibraltar, French Africa and the British Isles appeared the likeliest targets of attack.

A Soviet broadcast said that German-dominated Bulgaria was speeding war preparations along the Turkish frontier and that announcement of Bulgarian mobilization was expected shortly.

The broadcast said the Bulgarian port of Varna and the Rumanian port of Constanta on the black sea were in complete German control—evidently ready to serve as bases for some new German thrust.

Powerful German forces have repeatedly been reported massing in Bulgaria in recent months.

Berlin and Rome both hinted that important military developments were imminent, with Nazi and Fascist commentators using the word "decisive," while Stockholm observers predicted that Axis operations would be moved "from east to west."

BLAZE DESTROYS AWNINGS, WINDOW

Two awnings were destroyed and plate glass display window broken in a blaze at the Culberson confectionery store, E. State st., which took firemen out at 11:56 p. m. Monday.

Fire Chief Vincent Malloy said a cigarette apparently set the Culberson store awning ablaze. The fire spread to the awning at McClelland's book store, adjoining. Heat from the burning awnings then broke glass in the Culberson windows. Firemen kept the blaze from spreading further.

Prayers For Just Victory, Enduring Peace To Be Voiced At Christmas Eve Services

Prayers for a just victory and enduring peace will be offered at the Christmas eve rite in Salem churches as in services throughout the nation to which thousands will go to attend the religious observance marking the birth of the Prince of Peace.

Methodists will have a service of appropriate music at 8:30 in the church. Organ music based on familiar Christmas hymns will be played by Homer S. Taylor. Miss Ruth West, a student at Kent State university, will be heard in two solos, "He Shall Feed His Flock" from "The Messiah" (Handel) and the modern number, "Gesu Bambino."

Rev. Carl Asmus will read the Christmas story from the Scriptures and will lead the devotional service.

The complete program follows: Hymn, "Silent Night, Holy Night" (Gruber); organ, "Christmas Pastoral on Silent Night" (F. F. Harkner); reading of the Christmas story from the Scriptures; solo by Miss

Roosevelt and Churchill Meet for Historic Conference



After a dramatic, secret dash across the Atlantic ocean, then a quick airplane trip to Washington, Prime Minister Winston Churchill of Great Britain posed with President Roosevelt outside the White House and prior to beginning a series of conferences aimed at formulating allied plans for "the defeat of Hitlerism" throughout the world. Churchill's secret crossing of the Atlantic was reminiscent of the spectacular circumstances surrounding the August meeting of the two aboard warships in the Atlantic. At the right is the President's naval aide, Captain John R. Beardsall.

TROOP DETACHMENT SPENDS NIGHT HERE

Joe M. Kelley, city recreation director, had unexpected guests last night at the Memorial building.

A group of United States army mechanics and other troops, less than 100, rode into the city in trucks and decided to "pitch their tents" here.

Trucks were parked in the field adjoining the stadium. After "chow" the soldiers took in the city, reporting back to the Memorial building at 9 p. m. Kelley's City League basketball games at the gym were hurried up so the troops could bed down in the gymnasium at 10. The "bedding down" process consisted chiefly of rolling up in blankets on the floor.

The detachment was enroute east.

Struck by Car, Dies

HAMILTON, Dec. 23.—Struck by an automobile near Oxford Saturday, Zebedee Cameron 65, of Oxford died in a hospital here.

Wake Up, Americans!

Wake up, Americans! Make America's answer roar over the world. Every citizen must back the United States Army and Navy to victory—back them with work and money.

Do your part. Buy United States defense bonds at the post office, or financial institutions; stamps at any of these places or at most retail stores.

That's the message to all Americans today and Junior Chamber of Commerce members are emphasizing it with a "Bonds for a Bomber" campaign.

To date the local campaign has raised a total of \$84,796, with \$7,783 as yesterday's sales.

THEATER IS PACKED FOR FREE FILM SHOW

No Broadway first night ever packed in a more enthusiastic audience than that which roared its approval as the hero downed the villain and carried off the maiden fair on the films this morning at the Grand.

It was the Walken Brothers annual first Christmas treat for local youngsters. Theater employees donated their services for the gala event.

All the little fellows (girls, too) were seated first and their bigger brothers took the remaining seats, or stood. But that was no bother, because it was a great show, in the unanimous opinion of the youngsters.

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U. S. PLANES BOMB AXIS SUBMARINE

Believed To Have Found Mark In Attack Off California Coast

(By Associated Press) SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Swift-striking United States bombing planes may have damaged or sunk the big enemy submarine which torpedoed the American tanker Enidco.

This belief was expressed by Captain Clark A. Farrow upon his arrival yesterday at Eureka, Calif., with 30 survivors of his ship.

Captain Farrow said he believed the submarine was a large Japanese undersea craft, one of several Axis subs operating off the California coast.

He related that two American planes roared swiftly to the attack after the submarine shot at the tanker and then sent a torpedo into its stern. Each plane dropped depth charges, Captain Farrow said.

"There was a big blast and plenty of smoke when the second was dropped," he said in an interview. "That may have hit her, we figure, for we didn't see her again."

He said it was only 10 or 15 minutes after his distress message when the American planes came roaring overhead.

"To us in the lifeboats that was a mighty welcome sight," he declared. "The sub submerged. One of the two planes, circling where the sub had gone down, dropped a depth charge."

"But later, as the planes were still circling, the periscope of the sub came slowly up to the surface 200 yards away and while still partially submerged fired a torpedo. We saw the torpedo's trail as it headed for the tanker. There was a loud explosion as it struck."

Then second American plane let go another depth charge which Captain Farrow said he believed found its mark.

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WAR LEADERS MEET PREMIER AND HIS STAFF

Conference To Be First Between Entire Staffs of Two Nations

WHITE HOUSE GHQ FOR DRIVE ON AXIS

Synchronizing Allied Action Brings Churchill To United States

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—President Roosevelt called a conference for 5 p. m. Eastern Standard time, today with American army and navy officials and British Prime Minister Churchill and his staff. The White House said this group might be called the "war council."

The American group invited included Secretary of War Stimson, General George C. Marshall, army chief of staff; Major General Henry H. Arnold, deputy chief of staff for air; Secretary of the Navy Knox; Admiral Harold R. Stark, chief of naval operations; Admiral "nest" J. King, new commander of the United States fleet, and Harry L. Hopkins, special assistant on end-lease affairs.

With Britain's prime minister, who arrived here last night, were Lord Beaverbrook, supply minister; Admiral Sir Dudley Pound, commander of the British fleet; air Marshal Sir Charles F. A. Portal, and General Sir John Dill, former chief of the imperial general staff and now governor of Bombay.

In announcing the conference, Press Secretary Stephen Early told reporters: "that group you might call the war council."

This was to be the first conference between the Presidents and the entire British mission.

Even before the capital recovered from its surprise at Churchill's dramatic arrival, the conversations were under way and the White House had become, for the present, the GHQ for the worldwide battle against totalitarian arms.

The British prime minister reached the executive mansion early enough last night for President Roosevelt to have the whole evening with him, and their preliminary exchange of views continued today.

The questions before them were momentous—a global strategy for synchronized Allied action, the creation of a supreme Allied high command to coordinate the operations, and the matter of a full force.

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War Briefs

BATAVIA, Netherlands East Indies, Dec. 23.—Dutch naval aircraft attacked Japanese ships in the Philippine harbor of Davao today, aiding United States forces battling against the invasion of Mindanao island, a Netherlands East Indies communique announced.

One Japanese tanker of about 10,000 tons was hit squarely with a 400-pound bomb and burst instantly into flame, the communique said, and other enemy transports also were attacked.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—The admiralty announced today that British submarines had destroyed six more Axis transports or supply ships in the Mediterranean.

NEW DELHI, India, Dec. 23.—Japanese planes raided Rangoon, Burma, this morning, it was reported officially, but the attack was described as short.

HONOLULU, Dec. 22.—(Delayed)—The commission appointed by President Roosevelt to investigate the surprise Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor on December 7, has arrived in Honolulu. It was officially announced tonight.

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## IT WAS ALL IN PLAIN SIGHT

Several widely read commentators recently have called attention to the failure of Americans to understand what appeared in newspapers and magazines during the pre-war years. It was all there in plain sight—the details and pictures of Germany's preparations, the growing hostility of the Japanese. Yet, either because they refused to comprehend what it meant, or perhaps merely failed to try, the forewarning did not result in forearming.

President Roosevelt's "white paper" on United States-Japanese relations, which in effect is a digest of news material on that subject, has emphasized the fact that Americans were as blind to their own danger from Japan as the French and British were to their danger from Nazi Germany. In both cases, the intended victims of the aggressors were kept fully informed. Their press reported statements of policy, statistics and other military moves that could mean nothing else but intent to make war. In many cases, facts were interpreted to that effect as lucidly as Winston Churchill kept interpreting them to a government that refused to listen.

The failure lay in the process of assimilation. With few exceptions, the populations concerned and their spokesmen in government simply failed to act on information they did not want to believe because it made them uncomfortable. They proved the major premise of Adolf Hitler's program of attack—that dynamic action on the part of the militant states would not be opposed by equally dynamic action on the part of the non-militant states. It required an overt attack to energize the United States. The British did not become fully energized until France had fallen.

It has been a long time since the Romans warned the Carthaginians in advance and got away with it—but mankind doesn't seem to have learned much.

## BOB-TAILED BILLIONS

Growing popularity of the practice of bob-tailing the billions in printed matter is a left-handed tribute to our growing sense of national realism. Or perhaps you hadn't noticed what is happening.

The U. S. treasury, for instance, prints its budget summaries in millions of dollars. Thus, the public debt, instead of appearing as \$61,027,200,000 according to budget estimates for 1942, is written like this 61,027.2 in treasury bookkeeping. The surplus ciphers that tell the story are dropped.

Newspapers, always on the lookout for time and labor-saving abbreviations, have begun to use a somewhat different short-cut. The figure of \$61,027,200,000, which entails 15 characters in type-setting, becomes in round numbers \$61 billion, which requires only 10 characters, besides being more understandable. For years, the possibility of error in transmitting copy has been minimized by specifying millions and billions; thus, the same figure would be written \$61,027,200,000 (billions) in copy, with the (billions) struck out when the same figure was printed since it was used only to guide copy editors.

What it all amounts to in a general way is recognition that the transition from millionths to billionths in government finances has been accomplished and there is, therefore, no further point to be served in emphasizing the astronomical proportions of the bookkeeping.

## THE GENERATION OF COLIN P. KELLY III

President Roosevelt's memorandum asking the President of the United States who will be elected in 1950 to consider the son of the late Capt. Colin P. Kelly Jr. for an appointment to West Point is a dramatic gesture. Colin P. Kelly III and his generation may have a little trouble understanding what made it dramatic, however. Nothing is so ticklish as trying to reconstruct a mood. But this was the mood:

Capt. Kelly was America's first hero in World War II. He sacrificed his life in a bombing mission against a Japanese warship. In one of the most remarkable statements of our time, his widow declared "it was the way he would have chosen to die; that she had no regrets because her husband would have had none."

Overnight, while still heartsick from the bad news of Pearl Harbor, millions of Americans remembered their heroic tradition—something they had neglected through a quarter of a century of pettiness and muck-raking and uninspired fumbling. They remembered their obligation to pass along the heritage of dignity and freedom to Colin P. Kelly III and his generation, which was what his father had helped to do.

Whatever slurs and doubts may be cast in the years to come, that was the mood of America when the President recommended the infant son of Capt. Kelly for West Point sometime after 1936.

## NEWS FLASH FOR SPENDERS

Nothing has been heard recently about the whirlwind campaign to keep the Bricker administration from pointing with pride to an economy record, but it's not to be imagined the Democrats have abandoned their campaign.

While they're mapping more grand strategy, a news flash from New York state might prove interesting. Gov. Lehman had been worrying about something the same thing in his state as plagued Gov. Bricker in Ohio. Free spending had indicated a treasury surplus, and the politicians were closing in for the kill.

Then came war. The prospect of a surplus faded. Revenue from automobiles will be boiled down to a minimum due to the rubber shortage. The state's financial officers are now talking about the prospect of a deficit, instead. The chairman of the ways and means committee in the state assembly was quoted as saying somewhat wistfully the other day: "The greatest benefit the state could give its taxpayers during the present period would be the salt away

some part of the unanticipated increases in tax revenues which it is receiving so as to prevent an increase in state taxes as government costs continue to mount, or when revenue collections decline."

New York, Ohio and all other states will be lucky now if they have any melons for the boys to cut. A lot of things changed suddenly last Dec. 7.

## FROM THE NEWS FILES

FORTY YEARS AGO  
(Issue of Dec. 23, 1901)

Prof. Bruce Williamson, retiring science teacher at Salem High school left Saturday evening for Winona Lake, Ind., his former home.

Joseph H. Martin of Franklin Mills, Pa., arrived in the city Saturday night and is visiting his cousin, W. C. Martin of Rose St.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Mansfield for two supper parties to be given at their home on Lincoln ave. on Tuesday evening and on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ray have returned from their wedding trip.

John Leese, employed in the French China Co.'s plant at Sebring, and Miss Anna Buzzard also of Sebring, will be married at East Liverpool Tuesday.

Mrs. Gus Peeples and Miss Ethel Smith, teachers in the Salem schools, have gone to Miss Smith's home at Hart's Grove to spend the holidays.

Jesse Perkins, who is employed by the Central District & Printing Telegraph Co., is in the city to spend the holiday vacation with his parents.

THIRTY YEARS AGO  
(Issue of Dec. 23, 1911)

Invitations have been issued for a dance to be given by the High school students next Wednesday evening in Calumet hall.

Frank Coy of Ellsworth ave. entertained a party of friends Thursday evening at an oyster supper at his home.

Ralph Linn, a student at the University of Pittsburgh, is home to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Linn.

Ramagius Cavanaugh has returned from Notre Dame, Ind., where he is a student at the university, to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cavanaugh of Euclid St.

Edwin and William Tomlinson, who have been attending George school at Newton, Pa., arrived in the city Friday morning to be at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindley Tomlinson of W. Main St., for the holidays.

Mrs. Jones and son Robert, of W. Dry St., will spend Christmas at the home of her daughter in Pittsburgh.

William Kirst of Case School of Applied Science, Cleveland, will arrive in the city Friday evening to spend the Christmas vacation with his mother on High St.

Miss Grace Cope of Lake Erie College for Women, Painesville, is spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Cope of E. Sixth St. Irvin Heaton, a student at Kiskiminnit, Saltsburg, Pa., is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Heaton of Cleveland ave.

TWENTY YEARS AGO  
(Issue of Dec. 23, 1921)

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Laura Jewell and Charles Roller of near Salem. Miss Lena Beardmore, teacher of the third grade, Columbia St. school, entertained her students Wednesday afternoon at her home on Summit St.

Members of the Kewpie club composed of students of the Grade E of the Eighth grade, were guests of Miss Vera Zedler at her home on Newgarden St. Wednesday evening.

Miss Elizabeth Miller, who is taking voice culture in New York City, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Miller of Cleveland ave. Miss Catherine Miller, who is attending Radcliffe college, Cambridge, Mass., is expected home Friday evening.

Misses Mary Pow, Frances and Dorothy Lease Mary Herbert and Minnie Lewis, all Salem girls, who teach in the Alliance public school, are expected home Thursday evening for the holiday vacation.

Fred Burchfield, who is attending Oberlin college, arrived here Thursday morning to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Alice Burchfield of E. Fourth St.

Miss Margaret Lanpher, student at Ohio State university, Columbus, arrived here Tuesday morning and called on relatives enroute to her home in Leetonia.

Mrs. Yubert Noteboom and daughter Beatrice of Chicago are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Chappell of McKinley ave.

## THE STARS SAY:

For Wednesday, December 24

AN ENTERPRISING and lively day, probably centered in the pursuit of pleasure rather than sordid objectives, is forecast from interesting planetary figures. Should the pleasurable ambitions of the day be firmly held in leash and some thought be given to business progress and security, there is promise of some surprising developments, with elders showing appreciation of such worthy application and solidity. Be especially careful with foods, libations, etc.

Those whose birthday it is may anticipate a very pleasant as well as profitable year ahead of them, with sudden opportunity for furthering ambitious progress, arising from unexpected origins, with elders, relatives or old-established institutions ready to recognize and promote worthy projects. This may have the aspect of originality and novelty, and may involve change.

A child born on this day will have much initiative, with creative ability in original or novel lines. It will have practicality and stability to sustain its progressive ideas and attain success.

The next thing is to gird the loins and put on the shinguards in preparation for last minute Christmas shopping. Men do not concern themselves greatly with this event. They prefer to let the women do it. This is because women have greater powers of endurance and can stand more suffering than men.

Although weather reports are to be eliminated entirely, or else given in the briefest form, there is no law against consulting goose bones to see what the prospects are for a hard winter.

The city council has banned double houses in some parts of Indianapolis, but there's no law, thus far, against two families trying to live in one house.

One of our exchange paragraphers says: "Another incongruity of the day is the Russians making it too hot for the Nazi." And at that, the temperature is reported 30 degrees below zero.

Celebrates 57th  
Year In Business

COLUMBIANA, Dec. 23.—Rotarians at their Monday evening meeting at Valley Golf club enjoyed a treat of candy and cigars given by Henry Staley in honor of his 57th anniversary in the shoe business.

Now the owner of one of the town's oldest stores, Mr. Staley started as a shoe clerk on Monday, Dec. 22, 1884, and is the second oldest merchant still in business here. He gave a number of historical reminiscences about business firms along Main street, telling of the changes in ownership of the older establishments.

Curtis Detwiler, Charlotte, N. C., and Ted Detwiler, student at Case School of Applied Science, Cleveland, were present as guests of their father, Elmer Detwiler, President P. R. Corey attended the meeting of the New Castle Rotary club Monday noon. There will be no meeting next Monday evening.

James Burkle has completed a course in aeronautical engineering at Aero Industries Technical Institute, Glendale, Calif., and is visiting with local brothers and sisters, Miss Mary Burkle, who spent several months in Glendale, has also arrived home.

John Barrow, student at Purdue university, and Robert Barrow, student at Howe Military school, Howe, Ind., are spending the holidays in the Clyde Barrow and Alfred Barrow homes.

CIVILIAN DEFENSE  
GROUP TO ORGANIZE

LEETONIA, Dec. 23.—Members of the joint Leetonia-Washingtonville Civilian Defense committee will hold their first meeting this evening at 7:30 in the former mayor's office for the purpose of organizing.

Turney Ferguson, Salem Township trustee, recently resigned to serving in the United States army. Marquis H. Gilbert has been appointed to fill the vacancy. Gilbert will serve the unexpired portion of the term, which is about two years.

Corp. Roy J. Wolfgang of Fort Monmouth, Red Bank, N. J., arrived Sunday for a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Waddell.

William P. Wilhelm and daughter Florence visited Mr. Wilhelm's sister, Mrs. J. J. Walker, at Rennerdale, Pa., Sunday.

Charles E. Mather and William D. Leever left Saturday for a two weeks visit in Florida.

Private Harold Sebrell of Camp Shelby, Miss., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sebrell, south of town.

## Short On Bonds

CLEVELAND, Dec. 23.—Promising that a temporary shortage of \$25 to \$50 defense bonds would be relieved next week, C. W. Arnold, assistant vice president of the Cleveland Federal Reserve bank, suggested that persons seeking bonds for Christmas gifts could get receipts which may be exchanged for bonds later.

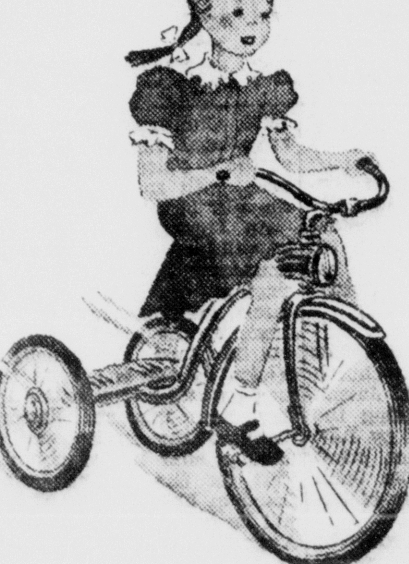
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Winter is the time for good sleeping and it is just too bad if you neglect all the knowledge that modern psychology has accumulated in order to get your proper rest.

The clinician can insist as much as he likes that sleep is not a necessity but it still remains a fact.

Dr. Clendening will answer questions of general interest only, and then only through his column.

that a bad night's sleep will knock out our sense of well-being for at least twenty-four hours. We should learn how to deal with the little disturbances of sleep.

You may have a spell of bad nights not because you have a conscience as uneasy as Macbeth's or because you are neurotic, but simply because you overlook one of the trifles which murder sleep.

How Senses Go to Sleep  
Our senses go to sleep in this order according to the psychologist: First we lose our sense of vision, then taste, then smell, hearing and touch. If this is true, and I think it is, we do not have to worry so much about the morning light as to be sure that no noises are likely to wake us up just at the moment that the organism is passing over into delicious sleep.

Touch is benumbed last of all, so be sure that nothing about the bed clothes or night dress is going to intrude through the sensory path of touch. Night garments which leave the shoulders exposed to the chill air make sleep lighter, because temperature sensitivity remains through practically all sleep.

Temperature of Bedroom  
Donald A. Laird of Colgate University, one of our most practical psychologists, says a bed can be too warm as well as too cold. Laboratory research suggests that the best bedroom temperature is between 50 and 60 degrees Fahrenheit.

The stomach does not sleep at all, it just rests slightly. Three or four times an hour it contracts spasmodically in what might be called a hunger pang. These pangs start as soon as the stomach is empty—four to five hours after a meal—about the time adults go to bed. This suggests that a bedtime lunch of foods which will not cause digestive distress is helpful in improving sleep the first half of the night by postponing the hunger contractions.

Alcohol helps sleep the first half of the night and ruins it the second half.

Self-Hypnosis  
The worst enemy of sleep is residual excitement from the previous day and evening. We get too keyed up to relax. Walter Winchell once yearned to sleep as soundly at night as he did when it was time to get up. People who go to sleep well use what the psychologist calls self-hypnosis. Dr. Nathaniel Kleitman of the University of Chicago has found that the surest way to keep awake is to tense muscles.

Worry seldom keeps people

awake. The Italian, Poggio, has a character who is asked, "How can you sleep with such pressing debts?"

"The wonder is," he replied, "that my creditors can sleep."

EDITOR'S NOTE: Dr. Clendening has seven pamphlets which can be obtained by readers. Each pamphlet sells for 10 cents. For any one pamphlet desired, send 10 cents in coin, and a self-addressed envelope stamped with a three-cent stamp, to Dr. Logan Clendening, 235 E. 45th St., New York. The pamphlets are: "Three Weeks' Reducing Diet," "Indigestion and Constipation," "Reducing and Gaining," "Infant Feeding," "Instructions for the Treatment of Diabetes," "Feminine Hygiene," and "The Care of the Hair and Skin."

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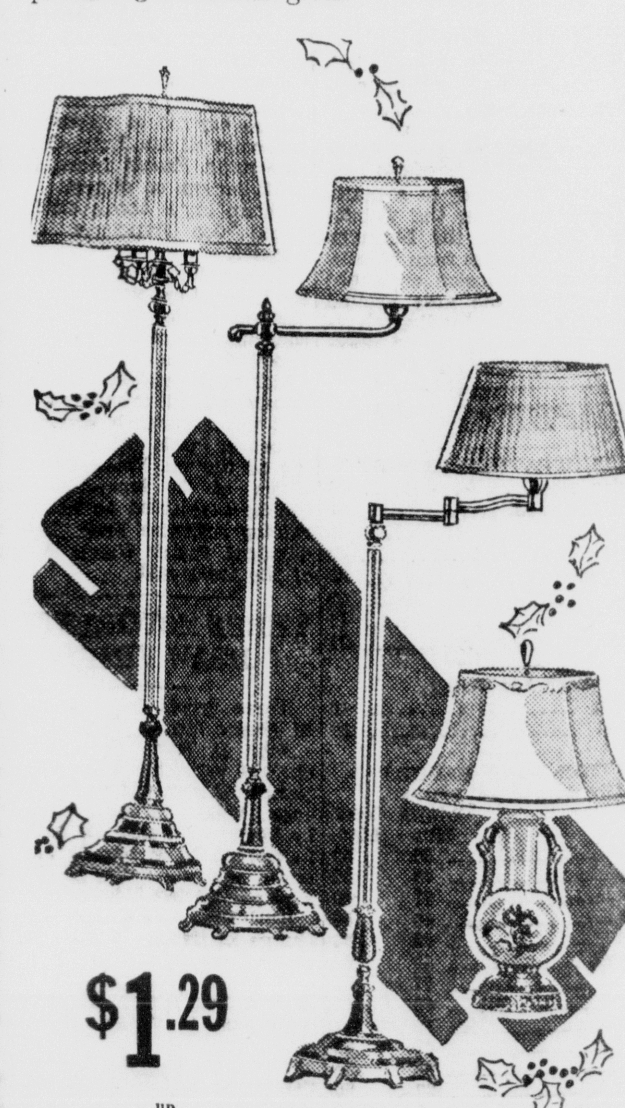
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# School, Church Programs Mark Christmas At Winona

WINONA, Dec. 23.—The P. T. A. met at the Methodist church Friday evening for the annual Christmas program.

The president, Wilmer Satterthwaite, was in charge of a short business session at which the organization purchased T. B. bonds to aid the Christmas seal sale.

Jack Hardgrove, introduced by the primary teacher, Miss Garnet Lambert, presided over the following program given by pupils of Primary school: Welcome, Charlotte Egerton; "Teddy Bears" (in costume); Gail Rubie; Junior Hardgrove; Dickie Cope; Ray Whinnery; reading, "I Know, I Know," Richard Odum; "It's Gonna Tell Santa," Kenneth Rogers.

Mrs. Eldon Whinnery, chairman of the committee, announced and read the Christmas pageant given by pupils of the brick school assisted by Mrs. Earl Rubie as "Mary," and Emory Halloway as "Joseph."

Mrs. C. E. Stanley and Raymond Brandt were named as the new program committee.

The Misses Shirley and Arlene Johnson were hostesses to 10 girls at a covered-dish supper Saturday evening at their home. A gift exchange, which was spent informally, guests were from Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Buraw and son Harold visited Mrs. Buraw's brother and family, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Post in Ravenna, recently.

**Combine Services**

At the Methodist church Sunday morning Sunday school and church services were combined. Special members were given by the classes. The program was:

Carol, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," by entire Sunday school; Walter Holmes class, song, "Singing Happy Christmas;" Mrs. Earl Rubie's class, two exercises, "The Candles Question," leader—Martha Jean Whinnery; the candles—Janet Altenhof, Richard Odum, Mary Arbanetis, Junior Hardgrove.

"The Stars Above"—Ray Whinnery, Dickie Cope.

Quartet—Rev. J. W. Klein, Mrs. Clyde Bennett, Miss Mary Jane Whinnery and Glen Bennett; Mrs. Richard Stamp's class, playlet, "Making Others Happy at Christmas."

Mrs. Raymond Brandt's class—Candle exercise, song, "Jesus Bids Us Shine;" Fultz sisters, Ella, Marguerite and Elizabeth.

Closing song, Junior department—"It Is Christmas;" solo, Mrs. Clyde Bennett, "Ava Maria (Schubert);" carol, "The First Noel;" group.

The choir of the church participated in singing the "Christmas Messiah" Sunday evening at the church in Hanoverton. They will sing next Sunday night here.

College students vacationing at home are Cameron Broderingham, Satterthwaite of Wooster, Miss Bertha Sidwell and Edward Henderson of Wilmington and Robert Loudon of Bliss.

**Vacationing at Home**

The Barnesville Boarding school students and their guests returned to their homes last Friday. Miss Esther Holloway is entertaining Miss Olive Chamnes of West Branch, Iowa. Robert Moffett of Akworth, Iowa, and Richard Oliphant welcomed Earl Capper of Knoxville, Iowa, as his guests.

The Misses Anna Mae and Ruth Starbuck of Salem, brought as their guests Miss Martha Chamnes of West Branch and Miss Dorothy Henderson of Pauling, Iowa, and Miss Roberta Hinshaw of Sebring, Fla.

Miss Florence Sidwell, who is teaching in Adams High school, near Wilmington, is spending the

were Mrs. Walter Holmes and Mrs. Willard Cope. Carols were sung, games played and the business session conducted by the president, Raymond Brandt. A Christmas lunch was served. A gift exchange was enjoyed. The class will be entertained in January by the young married people's class of St. Jacob's Reformed church, at the St. Jacob's church.

## Damascus Church Program Tonight

DAMASCUS, Dec. 23.—A Christmas program will be presented at the Methodist church at 8 p. m. Tuesday. It will consist of a play, "A Christmas Fantasy," given by Wade Mountz, Barbara Geiger and Josephine Hans; a play, "Through the Proud World Scorn," presented by Shirley Barber, Ellen June McDonald, Janice Miller, Larry Miller, Norma Weingart and Martha Redman. The choir will assist.

Council club of the Home Economics class of Goshen High school enjoyed a Christmas party at the home of Josephine Hans, with a gift exchange. A potluck supper was served, with 20 members present.

**Class Officers Named**

Fidelis Sunday school class of the Presbyterian church met Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bell.

Mrs. Bell conducted devotionals and games were enjoyed. Lunch was served by the hostess with 15 present.

Officers elected are: President, Mrs. Waldo Hicks; vice president, Mrs. Allen Stanley; secretary, Mrs. Dwight Phillips.

Gifts were exchanged in the Junior home room Friday. The program was in charge of Grace Batzli.

**Club Entertained**

Mrs. W. W. Alspaugh will be hostess Jan. 26 to members of the S. O. S. club. This was announced at a meeting with Mrs. Albert Thomas in Salem, Tuesday evening. Gifts were exchanged.

Bridge was the pastime with prizes being won by Mrs. W. W. Alspaugh and Miss Marian Kitzinger. Lunch was served.

Mrs. A. C. Mattern and son Paul of Fredericksburg spent Wednesday with Mrs. Ada Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weingart, out Salem visited Mrs. Miller Tuesday.

Rev. Herman Strawn, who is attending Theological seminary in Baltimore, Md., is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Strawn.

Fred Chambers made a trip to Barnesville Friday to bring his son Frederic home from Boarding school.

Albert Bohrer, who is with the C. P. S. camp has been transferred from Denison, Ia., to Cascade Locks, Ore. He is assistant camp director.

Miss Janet Shreve who is attending Barnesville Boarding school, arrived home Friday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Shreve.

Robert Stanley who is attending Ohio State university is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Stanley.

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In California

Francis Hall, Paul Ward and Raymond Votaw have gone to California for two weeks. They will visit Mr. Hall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hall who are ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gamble of near Lisbon entertained at a family Christmas dinner on Sunday. Members of the immediate family and an uncle, E. Y. Gamble and wife.

The Mizpah class of the Methodist church held its Christmas party at the home of Miss Josephine Dunn. Associate hostesses

# Radio Programs

- Tuesday Evening**
- 6:00—WTAM, Prelude KDKA, Songs
  - 6:15—KDKA, Top Tunes
  - 6:30—WTAM, Dinner Music
  - 6:45—WADC, Amos & Andy
  - 7:00—WADC, Amos & Andy
  - 7:15—WADC, Amos & Andy
  - 7:30—WTAM, Waring's Or.
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- Wednesday Morning**
- 8:00—WTAM, Music Tunes
  - 8:30—WTAM, Musical Clock
  - 9:45—WTAM, Betty and Bob
  - 10:00—WTAM, Bess Johnson
  - 10:15—WADC, Myrt and Marge
  - 10:45—WTAM, Road of Life
  - 11:00—WTAM, WTAM, Mary Marlin
  - 11:15—WTAM, Pepper Young
  - 11:45—WTAM, David Harum
- Wednesday Afternoon**
- 12:00—WADC, Kate Smith
  - 12:15—WTAM, O'Neils
  - 12:30—WTAM, Linda's First Love
  - 12:45—KDKA, Arthur Godfrey
  - 1:15—WADC, Singing Sam
  - 1:30—WTAM, Organ Melodies
  - 2:00—WTAM, Light of World
  - 2:30—WTAM, WTAM, Valiant Lady
  - 2:45—WTAM, Grimm's Daughter
  - 3:00—WTAM, Against the Storm
  - 3:15—WTAM, Ma Perkins
  - 3:30—WTAM, Guiding Light
  - 3:45—WTAM, Vic and Sade
  - 4:00—WADC, Concert Hall
  - 4:30—WTAM, Backstage Wife
  - 4:45—WTAM, Lorenzo Jones
  - 5:15—WTAM, We the Abbotts
  - 5:45—WTAM, Choral Group
- Wednesday Evening**
- 6:00—WTAM, Prelude
  - 6:15—WTAM, Squeakin' Deacon
  - 6:30—WADC, Frank Parker
  - 6:45—WTAM, Dinner Music
  - 7:00—WTAM, WLV, Waring Or.
  - 7:15—WADC, Amos and Andy
  - 7:30—WADC, Lanny Ross
  - 7:45—WTAM, Meet Mr. Meek
  - 8:00—WADC, Gildersleeve
  - 8:15—WTAM, Thin Man
  - 8:30—KDKA, WLV, WTAM, Plan-tation Party
  - 8:45—WADC, Dr. Christian
  - 9:00—WTAM, WLV, Eddie Cantor
  - 9:15—WADC, Fred Allen
  - 9:30—WTAM, WLV, District Att'y
  - 9:45—WADC, Glen Miller Or.
  - 10:00—WTAM, WLV, Kay Kyser
  - 10:15—WADC, Rev. Bill Denton
  - 10:30—WTAM, Orchestra
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# Program Is Given By Sunday School

WASHINGTONVILLE, Dec. 23.—The following Christmas program was given following the Sunday school services at Trinity Lutheran church on Sunday.

Song, "O Come All Ye Faithful"; welcome song and "Away In the Manger." Primary department; dialogue, "Christmas Story;" Mary Bell, Joan Longbottom, Mary Rohrer, Shirley Grindle, Mary Miller; recitation, "Her First Recitation," Patty DeJane.

Dialogue, "World Wide Christmas," Ruth Stouffer, Elberta Miller, Betty Spear, Shirley McCowan; "The Best Birthday," Mian Gorman; song, "Bethlehem," girls choir; "Before Christmas Day," Clyde Mathey, exercise, "Our Christmas Gifts," Betty Wilkinson and Dixie DeJane, "When I Woke Up," Emma Clink; "Christmas Eve Thoughts," Lois Gorman; solo, "A Song for Christmas," Edward Davis; "Too Long a Day," Jerry Martin; dialogue, "Three Kinds of Santas," Carl Rohrer, Harold Bell, Dale Guchemund, Jackie Martin. "A present for Daddy," Johnnie Justice; "A Birthday Gift," Eugene Dales; song, "The First Noel," Girls choir; "A Would-be Secretary," Averill Longbottom; "Hard Luck," Ross Justice; "The Prize Baby," Judy DeJane; "The Music of Christmas," Luella McCowan; song, "Silent Night," school; benediction, Harry Grim. Treats were given all members of the school.

**Held Christmas Party**

Members of the family of the late James and Elizabeth Atkinson held their annual Christmas party

on Friday evening in the home of Mrs. Beatrice DeJane. About 25 were present.

The evening was spent socially and contest prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. William Bell, Mrs. Sam Atkinson and James Atkinson. An exchange of gifts were enjoyed.

Students spending their holiday vacations with their parents are: Vera Davis and James Waggle of Wittenberg; Morris Reese, Jr., of Ohio State; Don Davis of Ohio Wesleyan; Robert Baker and Dorothy Ann Reese of Kent State university.

Mrs. L. J. Davis, daughter Vera, and mother, Mrs. David Weikart, were Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Mrs. Mary Sprague at Hammondsville.

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## Miss Rollins Hostess At Yule Party

Girls employed in the office of the Ohio Mutual Insurance company enjoyed a Christmas party last night at the home of Miss Esther Rollins on N. Broadway.

A gift exchange was followed by games and refreshments. Holiday appointments were used in the lunch and home decorations.

## Mrs. Gilbert Everhart Is Club Hostess

A Christmas gift exchange and a shower of gifts for the hostess were features of the meeting of the What-Not club last night at the home of Mrs. Gilbert Everhart on S. Union ave.

Prizes in "500" went to Mrs. Lawrence Kaercher, Mrs. Ralph Gorman and Mrs. Robert Gray. Lunch was served with Christmas appointments.

The Jan. 5 meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Fritz Morrison, Eight st.

## Club Is Entertained By Mrs. Melitschka

Mrs. Gus Schuster was presented a birthday gift by her "secret pal" at the home of Mrs. John Melitschka on Fair ave., where members of the Alpha Amica club were entertained last night.

A Christmas gift exchange was followed by "500" and lunch. Prizes were won by Mrs. John Ulrich and Mrs. Vincent Moore.

The Jan. 2 meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Moore on E. third st.

## Do Be There Club Enjoys Party

A chicken dinner at the Metzger hotel grill room, followed by bingo at the Eagles home, featured the Christmas party of the Do Be There club last night.

The table was attractively arranged with a centerpiece of yellow mums.

The group will be entertained Dec. 29 at the home of Mrs. Harold Keefer, E. Fifth st.

## John Botu Honored at Birthday Fete

Mr. and Mrs. Octavian Botu entertained Sunday at a surprise dinner honoring the 17th birthday of their son, John, at the Rumanian hall. Fifty guests attended the affair, presenting the host a

number of gifts. Games were enjoyed during the afternoon, prizes going to Margaret Farcus, John Dan and George Bodirnea.

## Dancing School Has Christmas Fete

Mrs. Bettie Lee Schilling entertained students of her dancing school here at the 11th Christmas party Saturday afternoon in the Memorial building. Dancing and games were enjoyed, followed by a treat and lunch given by the teacher.

Assisting her were her mother, Mrs. Rene Kenneweg, Miss Mildred Coupland of Birmingham, Ala., and Miss Jayne Courtney.

Joseph E. Martin, student at Brigham Young university in Provo, Utah, and two college friends whose homes are in Philadelphia are expected to arrive here today to be the guest of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Martin, E. Third st. The couple's son will be here for the college holiday vacation and the two guests will be here until Christmas.

Mrs. H. A. Merkt, Jr., and daughter, Julia, Mrs. Luella Harris and C. H. Harris have gone to Sea Girt, N. J., to spend the holidays.

Pvt. Frank Preisler, stationed at Camp Shelby, has concluded a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Preisler of 488 S. Union ave.

## Hanoverton

C. E. Sinclair of Cleveland visited his sister, Miss Anna E. Sinclair Thursday.

B. F. Hanna of Cleveland was a Saturday visitor here.

Kenneth Riggs of Cleveland visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Riggs over Sunday.

Miss Alta Higgins of Pittsburgh is the recent guest of her sister, Mrs. W. S. Rush.

Miss Gretchen Hole visited in Barborton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sinclair visited Mrs. Sinclair's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sinclair and mother, Mrs. Flora Taylor in Cadiz, Sunday.

Mrs. Harriet Sharp is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dave Holloway in Cleveland.

Horace Reeder is somewhat improved.

Warren G. Carle is ill at his home here. Paul Reeder is acting as mail carrier during his absence.

J. C. Ridgeway is ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. E. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwood Sanor have a new son.

## CANTON SALESMAN BEATEN TO DEATH

### Badly Battered Body found In Hotel Room In Cincinnati

CINCINNATI, Dec. 23.—A man registered as George Winlack, of Canton, O., and identified by police as a 44-year old sales reduction engineer, was found beaten to death in his room at the Hotel Gibson today.

Police Sergeant Higdon Roberts said "It's the worst case of the kind I ever saw." A table lamp apparently had been used as a club to fracture Winlack's skull and knock several teeth from his mouth.

Winlack's watch had stopped at 3:25 a. m.

The blood-spattered room indicated there had been a "terrific struggle," Roberts said.

Herman Reardon of Canton, an associate of Winlack told police the slaying victim had been here since early this month and had been engaged with him in steel reclamation work at the Andrews Steel company in Newport, Ky.

Reardon said they had had dinner together last night; that he had left Winlack in the lobby of the hotel about 9:30 p. m., to retire to his own room.

Hotel officials said there was a "noisy party" in rooms adjoining Winlack's between 3 and 4 a. m. Police questioned party-guests who professed not to have heard anything untoward from Winlack's quarters. Winlack's wallet was missing. The body was clad only in an undershirt when found by a bell-boy.

Reardon said he and Winlack, who was an orphan, had planned to return to Canton Wednesday to spend Christmas at Reardon's home.

Police said the best preliminary clue was the description of a man assertedly seen leaving the ninth floor—on which Winlack's room was located—via back stairs.

"Came Down Stealthily"

Sergeant William Burks of the homicide squad said a rear-door timekeeper at the hotel reported the man "came down stealthily."

was about six feet, one inch in height and hatless, was wearing an overcoat similar to one which later was detected missing from the victim's room.

## NEW GARDEN CHURCH PRESENTS PROGRAM

The New Garden community church, re-organized last Easter after several years, observed Christmas Sunday at the regular services last Sunday, followed by a program of songs and recitations by the children of the Sunday school.

Rev. O. E. Kelly of Winona is pastor of the church and Mrs. John Baker is Sunday school superintendent.

The program was directed by Mrs. John Batzli, Mrs. R. B. Sanor, Mrs. Walter Mounts and Mrs. Alfred Stoudt.

A Bible was presented to Lloyd Mounts, librarian, for his record of perfect attendance and Mrs. John Strahm received a gift for service to the school. A holiday treat was given from the school and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pitcher provided a Christmas gift for all members.

Sunday school is held at 10 a. m. each Sunday in the church.

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## SCHOOL NEWS AT DAMASCUS

The honor roll of the Goshen Township High school for the past six weeks has been announced. Grace Batzli received all A's in the Junior class.

Those receiving A's and B's are: Seniors: Olive Carter, Barbara Geiger, Josephine Hans, Joyce Hollinger, Kenneth Marty, Marjorie Steer, Vernon Weingart and Geraldine York.

Juniors—Mary Jane Filler, Robert Hurford, Rosaleen Keeler, May Von Kaenal and Blanche Weinblatt.

Sophomors—May Filler, Verle Mounts, Janice Odey, Anna Mae Rinehart and Helen Starbuck.

Freshmen—Wanda Bokelman, Thomas Carr, Donna Jean Greenamyer, Robert Marty, Charlene Morton, Eileen Minser and May Wolford.

Eighth grade—Nellie Martig, Franklin Patten and Elise Steer.

Seventh—Bonnie Lee Edwards, Violet Paulin, Carol Ryser and Lera Slagle.

Fifth and Sixth grade—Polly Ann Ailes, John Allen Henry, Lynn Bowersock, Lorraine Carpenter, Jackie Ellis, Robert Nash, Donald Steer and Albert Vignere.

## BUS LINES STRIKE HITS WHOLE SYSTEM

CLEVELAND, Dec. 23.—An AFL union's strike against Greyhound lines spread across the entire system today and blocked Central's holiday traffic.

A company spokesman said he expected all of the line's operations to halt today, and estimated the number of employees affected at between 1,200 and 1,500.

Central Greyhound's operations extend through the Midwest to New York and Boston, with Chicago, Detroit, Cleveland and Buffalo the principal centers. The union call extending the strike throughout the Central Greyhound system did not apply to other Greyhound bus lines.

Employment of seven cleaning women here at 40 cents an hour resulted in a local strike call Dec. 2 by the Amalgamated Association of Street, Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employees, which claimed its contract specified a minimum of 60 cents for maintenance employees.

The walkout spread to New York and Boston, and a meeting with federal conciliators in Washington last week was adjourned to next Wednesday. Both sides said additional issues had arisen, but did not detail them.

Samuel Berrong, international representative of the union, announced extension of the strike last night, claiming President R. W. Budd had refused to meet with a union committee here. A company spokesman said Budd reiterated the line's previously announced stand that it would negotiate only through federal conciliators in Washington.

## Traffic Toll Rises

CANTON, Dec. 23.—Stark county's traffic toll for the year stood at 97 today with the death of Harvey M. McCauley, 63, struck by a car. The corresponding total last year was 64.

## Ballot On Welfare

CLEVELAND, Dec. 23.—A light vote on an issue for which there is no organized opposition, a pair of city and county levies for welfare and relief, was being cast in Cuyahoga county today.

## DIFFER ON MAKING OF NEW 'WAR TIRES'

### Rubber Executives Gather In Capital to Discuss Rationing

(By Associated Press)

AKRON, Dec. 23.—Top executives of the rubber industry convened in Washington today, and took with them some differences of opinion over the use of reclaimed rubber in making "war tires."

The primary purpose of their meeting with government officials was a discussion of problems related to the rationing of crude rubber for civilian use, scheduled to begin Jan. 4. The "war tire" question was expected to arise.

Firestone Tire & Rubber Co. and Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. have announced production plans for tires made entirely of rubber which has been reclaimed from old tires and other products, but spokesmen for other concerns either doubted the practicability of this type of tire, or favored other measures.

In announcing Goodyear's plans, Chairman P. W. Litchfield said "quite frankly, the material from which it is made, regenerated rubber, is not to be compared with crude rubber," but added that the "war tire" was "better than having no tires at all." He said 35 miles an hour was top speed for the tire made of reclaimed rubber.

Harry P. Schrank, vice president in charge of production for Seiberling Tire & Rubber Co., said tires made wholly of this material present problems which cannot be solved successfully, and declared his concern's tests showed "they do not give even 20 per cent of the mileage of a quality tire."

B. F. Goodrich Co. is not making the "war tires," and President John F. Collier commented that "unrestricted sale of tires made from reclaimed rubber could mean that our armed forces and these agencies upon which we depend for transportation of our vital goods might suffer. Every phase of the industry should be studied in relation to the whole emergency."

William O'Neill, president of General Tire & Rubber Co., favored a liberal policy by the government in releasing crude rubber for re-trading old tires, saying 15,000 tons of crude rubber would save 65,000-600 passenger car tires from the scrap pile and give them 80 per cent of their original mileage.

## Close On Christmas Eve

The Ohio state liquor store will close at 6 p. m. tomorrow, Christmas eve, and at the same time on Wednesday, Dec. 31, New Year's eve, Manager Harry Wilson announced today.

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# Markets

**SALEM PRODUCE**  
(Wholesale Prices)  
Fancy eggs, 31c; butter, 30c.  
Chickens, 18c to 20c lb.  
Apples, 90c bushel.  
Cabbage, 2c lb.  
Potatoes, 80c bushel.  
New turnips 3c lb.

**SALEM GRAIN**  
(Prices Paid at Mill)  
Wheat, \$1.15.  
Oats, 50c bushel.  
Old corn, 85c.

**CLEVELAND PRODUCE**  
Butter steady; creamery extras in tubs, 39½.  
Live poultry strong; spring chickens, heavy, 24.  
Dressed poultry firm.  
Others unchanged.

**CHICAGO PRODUCE**  
Butter, receipts 794,231; steady; creamery, 93 score 35-36½; 92 34½; other prices unchanged.  
Eggs, receipts 10,837; unsettled; fresh graded, firsts, local 33; government graded extras, white, loose 45; carton 46; other prices unchanged.

**CLEVELAND LIVESTOCK**  
Cattle 300 steady; steers 1200 lbs up 21.50-12.50; 750-1100 lb 11.50-13.00; 650-1000 lb 11.00-12.50; heifers 10.00-11.50; cows 7-8; good butcher bulls 8-10.  
Calves 400 steady; good 14.00-15.50.  
Sheep and lambs 600 steady; wools 12.00-50; wethers 6-7; ewes 5-6.  
Hogs 1,000 steady; heavy 10.70-11.20; good butchers 11.35-50; yorkers 11.50; roughs 9.50-10.00.

**PITTSBURGH LIVESTOCK**  
Salable hogs 400; salable cattle 50; salable calves 100, all steady and unchanged.  
Salable sheep 900, active and 25 cents lower. Choice lambs 12.50-75.

**CHICAGO GRAIN**  
Grain futures opened fractionally lower in a typical holiday trade session today. The pace was extremely slow. Soybeans started unchanged to ¼ cent lower.  
Wheat started ¼-½ lower than Monday's close, \$1.25½-\$1.25, July \$1.26 and then steadied in an extremely narrow range. Corn was unchanged to 1 lower, May 82½, July 84.

**TREASURY RECEIPTS**  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 23. — The position of the treasury Dec. 20: Receipts \$85,327,303.24; expenditures \$84,572,886.77; net balance \$3,611,840,798.73; working balance included \$2,853,940,554.42; receipts for fiscal year (July 1) \$4,025,289,676.26; expenditures \$10,718,433,007.70; excess of expenditures \$6,693,163,131.44; gross debt \$57,313,987,815.68; increase over previous day \$26,404,217.97.

**Guilford Grange Units**  
Hold Christmas Party  
Guilford juvenile and subordinate granges held a Christmas party Saturday night at the hall following the regular meetings.  
The program included: Welcome recitation, Carols, Arbanis; group singing of carols, led by Rev. Jack Klein of Winona; Christmas skit, Roy Sanor; talk, Rev. Klein; play, "Ten Little Santa Claus"; juvenile granger, who afterward presented gift to the members.  
Mrs. Emmett Aiken and Mrs. Glen Watkins, matrons, announced a Christmas party for the juveniles at the home of Francis and Robert Coppock Friday evening, Dec. 26.  
Mrs. Alfred Gamble, new matron, was a guest at the meeting.

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**Serve Isaly's Ice Cream Tarts**  
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Individual servings of Ice Cream topped with Raspberry or Pineapple Preserves and Whipped Cream.

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**Ice Cream Cakes**  
Rich Vanilla Ice Cream filled with fruit and nut parts. Colorfully decorated. Two sizes.  
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**Tree Center Brick**  
Vanilla Ice Cream with molded Mint Tree center - Quart 34c

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## Scrap Price Change May Halt Shortage

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 23. — The government's action in revising iron and steel scrap prices to permit larger returns for lower grades, was seen today in steel circles as a move likely to end a shortage that was slowing up operation in numerous mills.

"It clears the air and will restore a steady flow of supply," asserted one of Pittsburgh's largest scrap brokers. "A short time after the new schedule was announced I booked a 750-ton order, one of the largest in weeks."

Price Administrator Leon Henderson announced the revision late yesterday in Washington. It represented a compromise between demands of many for a general price increase and of others for the government to take over the scrap business.

Some weeks ago the Office of Production Management, alarmed at the slowing down of scrap movement, opened an intensive campaign to draw a supply from households, stores and plants. But dealers claimed this was not a success because prices failed to furnish the needed incentive.

The new scale segregates various grades of scrap, according to use, with out price ceiling for each type. For example, a \$20 ceiling for Pittsburgh was established for seven grades of scrap used in open hearths, in which roughly 45 tons of scrap and 55 tons of pig iron are melted with other additions into 100 tons of the steel ingots.

The old scale ranged from \$15.25 for mixed borings and turnings to \$20 for the best No. 1 heavy melting scrap.

Now, as a scrap broker explained, \$20 may be charged for the lower grades, which run in heavy volume, as well as for the best grade so that all will be lumped together.

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## 13TH JAP ATTACK GAINS Foothold

No Announcement Made as To Defense Tactics of Devil Dogs

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Japanese claims to seizure of a large number of American merchant ships were "without foundation." The only American vessel known to have been seized by the Japanese, the navy said, was the liner President Harrison.

The navy communiqué, based on reports received up to 9 a. m. Eastern Standard time, today, follows:

"ATLANTIC THEATER—There are no new developments to report."

"EASTERN PACIFIC—Two U. S. merchant ships were attacked by enemy submarines off the Pacific coast. Both attacks were unsuccessful."

"CENTRAL PACIFIC—Wake island sustained another strong air attack in the forenoon of the 22nd."

Several enemy planes were shot down. An enemy force effected a landing on Wake the morning of the 23rd.

## NAMES CHIEF FOR WOMEN VOLUNTEERS

COLUMBUS, Dec. 23.—Miss Margaret Baker, Springfield industrial executive, today was appointed by Governor Bricker as state director of women volunteers in the civilian defense program.

Miss Baker, treasurer of the Champion Co. of Springfield, succeeded Mrs. Albert Heekin of Cincinnati, who resigned a month ago. The new director completed recently a training course in New York in connection with civilian volunteer service work. She is the owner of a rubber plantation in the Malay states, scene of Far Eastern fight.

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**ROBES**  
All-Wool Flannel \$6.45  
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**HOUSE COATS**  
Gabardine or Silk \$9.95  
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Tender, Kroger Golden  
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Kroger's Rich, Spicy Flavor  
**MINCE MEAT** lb., 19c  
Kroger's —Lean-Streaked  
**SLICED BACON** lb. 29c  
Tender  
**BEEF POT ROAST** lb., 25c  
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**SMOKED HAMS** lb., 29c

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**HOLIDAY NUTS**  
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Choice of yellow, rose, green, or blue.

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Genuine Home Grown Pascal  
**CELERY HEARTS** 2 bchs. 23c  
Full Flame, Red Emperor  
**GRAPES** 2 lbs 19c  
Large, Crisp, Tender Heads  
**HEAD LETTUCE** 2 hds. 19c  
Louisiana Porto Rican  
**RED YAMS** 4 lbs. 19c  
Rich, Red, Fine-Flavored  
**CRANBERRIES** 2 lbs. 33c  
Fresh, Tender Green  
**BRUSSEL SPROUTS** 2 pint boxes, 25c  
Marsh Seedless  
**GRAPEFRUIT** 5 for 19c  
Your Favorite "Easy Peel" Fruit  
**TANGERINES, Extra Large** doz. 25c  
Medium Size California Sunkist Navel  
**ORANGES** doz. 25c

Ocean Spray  
**CRANBERRY SAUCE** 2 cans 23c  
Country Club, Rich, Smooth  
**PIE PUMPKIN** 3 No. 2½ cans, 25c  
Country Club  
**MINCE MEAT** pkg. 10c  
Kraft Miracle Whip  
**SALAD DRESSING** quart jar, 39c  
Country Club Dairy Fresh  
**ROLL BUTTER** lb., 37c  
All Popular Brands Except Phillip Morris and Pall Mall  
**CIGARETTES** carton, \$1.45

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## Theatre Attractions

"International Lady" melodrama of international spies and their pursuers, showing at the State Wednesday only, gives Iona Massey the role of a member of the saboteurs ring, George Brent as the American detective and Basil Rathbone as the Scotland Yard sleuth bent on capturing her.

The novel, if complicated, method of transmitting her messages, the lady saboteur uses is through notes of the music she sings, so that when she is singing over the radio or to an elite group of Long Islanders she is really communicating with the enemy. And just as love laughs at locksmiths, it seems, it also laughs at international saboteurs and their efforts to cripple the flow of American planes to Britain, for the lady spy falls in love and finds her work more difficult than she had thought.

Concluding tonight at the State is "Rise and Shine", with Jack Oakie, Linda Darnell, Milton Berle,

George Murphy and Walter Brennan. At the Grand tonight and Wednesday are: A comedy, "The Mexican Spitfire's Baby", with Lupe Velez and Leon Errol; and an adventure drama, "Public Enemies", with Phillip Terry, Wendy Barrie, Edgar Kennedy and William Frawley.

### Kroger Store Employees Will Receive Bonuses

Distribution of Christmas bonuses to approximately 820 employees of the Cleveland branch of the Kroger Grocery and Baking Co., which operates stores in this area, was under way today.

Every employee with a year or more of service will share. In addition, bonus checks are being mailed to approximately 600 Kroger employees who have been called into the armed services in the last year.

## FDR CALLS RALLY OF 'WAR COUNCIL'

U. S. Military Leaders To Meet Premier and His Staff

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mal alliance of all Axis foes—but the war in the Pacific seemed the top immediate consideration.

And Churchill's arrival struck the capital as a good omen, for it coincided with encouraging news from the Pacific theatre. The Philippines reported the situation "well in hand" there, despite an all-out Japanese invasion onslaught. The British lines above vital Singapore were holding firmly. Hongkong fought on. And there was even a vague hint that Russia's far eastern forces were being placed on the ready.

Britain's prime minister, wearing the familiar nautical cap and the high-buttoned seaman's jacket, stepped from a plane late yesterday at a nearby airport and found President Roosevelt waiting for him. A presidential limousine whisked them away to the White House.

Full wartime secrecy surrounded the manner in which Churchill made his trip to the North American continent. The only information the White House vouchsafed was the last leg made by air. There was a belief, however, that one of his majesty's warships had carried him part of the way.

Accompanied by Technicians Supply Minister Lord Beaverbrook and a staff of technical experts accompanied him. While the personnel of the staff was not immediately disclosed, the presumption was that it would include an array of key British military, naval and economic officials.

There were indications almost at once that Churchill's stay might be of some duration. At Ottawa, Canada's Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King said he had been invited to Washington.

The White House gave no advance details as to what schedule the conferences would follow, and there appeared a possibility that the information would be withheld because of its military character.

Axis capitals apparently were very much in the dark as to Churchill's whereabouts until he reached here.

### PROGRAM PLANNED AT CONCORD CHURCH

The Concord Presbyterian church Christmas program will be given at 8 p. m. Thursday, Christmas night, at the church, north of Salem. Walter B. Hill, a student at the Western, Theological seminary in Pittsburgh, has been serving as minister of the church. The program is in charge of Mrs. James Dustman, Mrs. Roy Capel, Mrs. W. L. Hively and Mrs. Ray Hostetter. The program will be: Prelude by the Sunday school orchestra; scripture and prayer, Sunday School Superintendent Ellis Cline; selections by the orchestra; recitation, "Welcome," Donald Walters; recitation, "The Best Present," Marcia Gregg; exercise, "Christmas Presents," primary girls; recitation, "Merry Christmas," Leroy Hostetter. Recitation, "Christmas Wishes," Donald Capel; song, "While Christmas Stars Are Shining," primary girls; recitation, "Glenelg Hostetter; exercise, "Why I Am Happy," junior boys; recitation, "Our Wish," Homer Lee Marty; exercise, "Lighting Christmas Candles," junior girls; recitation, "Phyllis Wilson; son, "Peeping Through the Window," junior class; recitation, "An Announcement," Charles Wilson.

Instrumental music, Kenneth and Robert Marty; play, "A Sign Unto You," Ellis Cline, Eileen Minsler, Lois Beck, Geraldine Hively, Robert Hively, Robert Marty, John Weaver, Jr., and Naomi Capel; offertory, Beatrice Hively; hymn, "O Come, All Ye Faithful," congregation; prayer.

## Marietta College Five Consistent

MARIETTA, O., Dec. 23—Marietta College's Pioneers have dropped three of their four basketball games—but they are probably the most consistent team in Ohio cage circles.

Their scoring average for the four tilts is exactly 45—and they've been only one point away from that in each start. Take a look at the scores:

Marietta 44, Rio Grande 36.  
Marietta 46, Fairmont Teachers 52.

Marietta 46, Ohio U. 48.  
Marietta 44, Cincinnati 55.

That record has Coach Frank L. (Duke) Hayes moaning.

"My boys," he declared, "are equipped to cope with everything but size. They stress speed, and are deft ball handlers. "But, basketball players are growing taller by the year, or that's the way it looks to us 'little fellows.' If I thought it would work out, I'd put my midgets on stilts. As it is, our only chance against these sky-scrappers is to ride 'em 'piggy-back.' "Today," the basketball emphasis is on height—not on ability. And don't let anyone tell you differently."

## NEW CAMPAIGN BY HITLER FORECAST

Fresh Strategy Expected As Nazis Are Jarred On Two Fronts

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British reinforcements were reported steadily increasing the pressure on Bengasi itself.

The whole line of Axis retreat west of Mekele, as pictured by British Middle East headquarters, was "littered with abandoned material."

On the Russian front, counter-marching Soviet armies were reported to have driven the shivering, ill-clad German invaders from 75 more villages, and fierce Russian guerrilla bands were now said to be blocking the Nazi retreat, abandoning their hit-and-run tactics for stand-and-fight blows.

Huge Casualty List

Of the 750,000 man army Hitler sent against Moscow, the Russian newspaper Pravda declared more than 117,000 were killed in a five-week period ending Dec. 20.

The heaviest Soviet smashes were said to be falling in the Tula sector, 110 miles south of Moscow; around Maloyaroslavets, 65 miles southwest of Moscow; and in the Tikhvin area, 110 miles east of Leningrad.

The Soviet government newspaper Izvestia said Red army troops were routing out the Germans by flank attacks, following the recapture of Tikhvin, and forcing them to retreat in some places even beyond the Volkhov river which links Lake Ilmen and Lake Ladoga.

Front-line dispatches said that in one sector on the Leningrad front where the Germans attempted a counter-offensive, 300 Nazis were killed and the remaining forces were sent floundering through the snow-bound forests. Soviet ski troops were reported hunting them down.

The Russians acknowledged difficulties in only one sector of the entire 1,200-mile front from Leningrad to the Black sea. This was in the Crimea, where German troops besieging the big Sevastopol naval base were reported hurling attack after attack at Red army defense lines. Soviet dispatches said the city's situation was serious.

### Former Buckeye Mentor Applies for Miami Job

OXFORD, Dec. 23—C. B. Schuchardt, former Ohioan now assistant football coach at the University of Nevada, wants to return to his Buckeye stomping ground as head coach of Miami University.

Schuchardt has applied for the position vacated by the resignation last week of Frank Wilton, Miami coach for 10 years.

He went to Nevada in September, 1939, after coaching at Heidelberg College and Ohio Northern University.

At Nevada, Schuchardt is head basketball coach and assistant to Jim Aiken, athletic director and football coach, who formerly coached at Canton McKinley High school and Akron University.

He was assistant football coach at Heidelberg for six years beginning in 1930 and at Ohio Northern from 1936 through 1938. At the Ada school he was head basketball coach 1937 through 1939 and coached baseball in 1937.

Other prominent prospects for the Miami post are reported to be Bob Whitaker of Bowling Green State University and E. R. Godfrey, Ohio State University assistant coach.

### DON MILLER NAMED AS U. S. ATTORNEY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Don Miller, one of Notre Dame's famous "Four Horsemen," was nominated by President Roosevelt today to be U. S. Attorney for the northern Ohio district.

Upon senate confirmation the 41-year-old Cleveland attorney will succeed Francis B. Kavanaugh, district attorney pro tem for several months since Emerich B. Freed was promoted to federal district judge at Cleveland.

Miller, who has been engaged in private law practice at Cleveland, is the brother of Ray Miller, Cuyahoga county Democratic chairman. He is the only one of the famous "Horsemen" of 1922-23-24 who did not follow football as a lifetime profession.

## Here and There About Town

Utch Safe at Honolulu

Word of the safety of their son, John Utch, stationed with the U. S. Army at Honolulu, reached his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Herman, 352 Washington ave., yesterday in an airmail letter from the youth. At Honolulu during the Japanese air raids there, Utch told his parents he is well and was unhurt in the bombing attacks on the islands.

Baskets For Needy

All members of the I. H. S. class of Trinity Lutheran church, who have gifts for the Christmas baskets which the class will fill for needy families, are asked to leave them at the Woodland market by noon Wednesday or to notify Mrs. Albert DeWan, S. Union ave., and Mrs. Albert Ryser, Prospect st. to have the articles collected.

Recent Births

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Dickson of R. D. 1, Beloit, are parents of a son born yesterday afternoon in Salem City hospital.

A daughter was born early this morning in Salem City hospital to Mr. and Mrs. William Rae, 531 E. School st.

Hospital Notes

Mrs. Laura Windle of R. D. 1, Columbiana has entered Salem City hospital for medical treatment.

Walter E. Hileman of Leetonia has been admitted to Salem City hospital for surgical treatment.

Hi-Y Gets Jackets

Sidney Simon, president of the High school Hi-Y club, today announced that new jackets ordered by the club have arrived. Members will be notified as to where to get them, Simon said.

Kiwanis Plans Yule Fete

Kiwanis club members will hold their annual Christmas party following luncheon, at the Memorial building at noon Wednesday. An informal program will be carried out.

Scout Meeting Postponed

Regular meeting of Methodist Boy Scout troop No. 2, scheduled Wednesday evening at the church, has been postponed. Scoutmaster Stratton announced today.

### POLICE RECAPTURE STATE FUGITIVE

MOUNT VERNON, Dec. 23.—A fan captured here after wrecking a reportedly stolen automobile admitted later he was Ralph Urey, escaped inmate of the Lima state hospital for the criminal insane, state highway patrolmen said today.

Urey's companion in the early Sunday flight from the Lima hospital—Ivan Phillips, life term bank robber—still is at large.

Highway Patrolman C. E. Lovejoy said he pursued an automobile at high speed through Mount Vernon Monday forenoon before the fugitive crashed into an East End residence porch. The driver ran away but Lovejoy caught him in a block away.

Urey at first gave the name of Joe Smith of Columbus and was held on a charge of driving while intoxicated. He later admitted under questioning that he was Urey, Patrol Corp. H. D. Henley said.

The chase began after Lovejoy answered a report that an automobile driven by an apparently intoxicated man was nearing Mount Vernon on Route 13 from the direction of Mansfield.

The car was reported stolen from Bucyrus, patrol records showed. Urey was transferred to Lima last February from Ohio penitentiary where he was serving one to 35-years for breaking and entering and sodomy.



Did you say you love me, honey? No, I said we need some money.

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## PRAY FOR PEACE AT YULE EVE SERVICES

Christmas Eve, Midnight Rites Are Scheduled In Churches Here

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who attends the Baptist Missionary training school in Chicago, both of whom are preparing for permanent Christian service, will be speakers at the Christmas service at 7:45 p. m. Wednesday at the Baptist church.

The singing of carols by the congregation and choir will be followed by a brief history of carols by R. R. Emmett and a devotional service.

Carol Service

The annual midnight carol service at the Church of Our Saviour will be held at 11:45 p. m. Wednesday. Choir and congregation will sing the traditional music and Rev. Ian Robertson, rector, will conduct the devotional portion of the service.

A candlelighting and carol service will be held at 11:30 Christmas eve in the Trinity Lutheran church. The program, which the public is invited to attend, will be as follows: Processional, Christmas carol, "O Come, All Ye Faithful" (Adeste Fideles); the call to worship by pastor Rev. G. D. Keister, and congregation; prayer of invocation by pastor and congregation; Scripture reading, "The Promise of Light" (Isaiah 9:1-7); Christmas carol, "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night"; Scripture reading, "The Coming of the Light" (St. Luke 2:1-20); Christmas carol, "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear".

The Christmas prayer; Scripture reading, "The Spreading of the Light" (St. Matthew 5:14-16; Christmas carol, "Joy To The World" (Antioch); anthem by church choir, "O Come and Adore Him" (Holt); Christmas meditation, with short talk by the pastor on "The Light of the Christ Child"; carol, "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing" (Mendelssohn); the service of candle lighting; carol, "Silent Night, Holy Night" (Stille Nacht); a prayer of dedication and benediction; recessional, carol, "O Little Town of Bethlehem" (S. Louis).

Two Are Wounded

CANTON, Dec. 23.—Joe Norcia, 24, and Joe Elfanti, 26, were wounded critically in a shooting that climaxed a fight in a downtown restaurant. Witnesses reported Elfanti went to Norcia's aid against a third person who was held by police.

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## DEATHS

MRS. J. A. LINDEN

Mrs. Margaret King Linden, 69, died at her home on the Benton rd., at 9 p. m. Monday of a heart ailment following several years' ill health.

The daughter of Harry and Julia King, she was born in Garfield Oct. 15, 1872, and had lived here 62 years coming to Salem from Garfield.

Her husband, J. A. Linden, survives.

Funeral service will be held at 2 p. m. Friday at the Arbaugh-Pearce funeral home in charge of Rev. M. R. Searles. Burial will be in Hope cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday evening.

"Merry Christmas"—Give!

CINCINNATI, Dec. 23.—"Merry Christmas," said a man to Richard Pugh, manager of an uptown cigar store.

"And now," he continued, producing a gun, "suppose you play Santa Claus."

Pugh and his brother, Robert, did—to the tune of \$252.

Injuries Are Fatal

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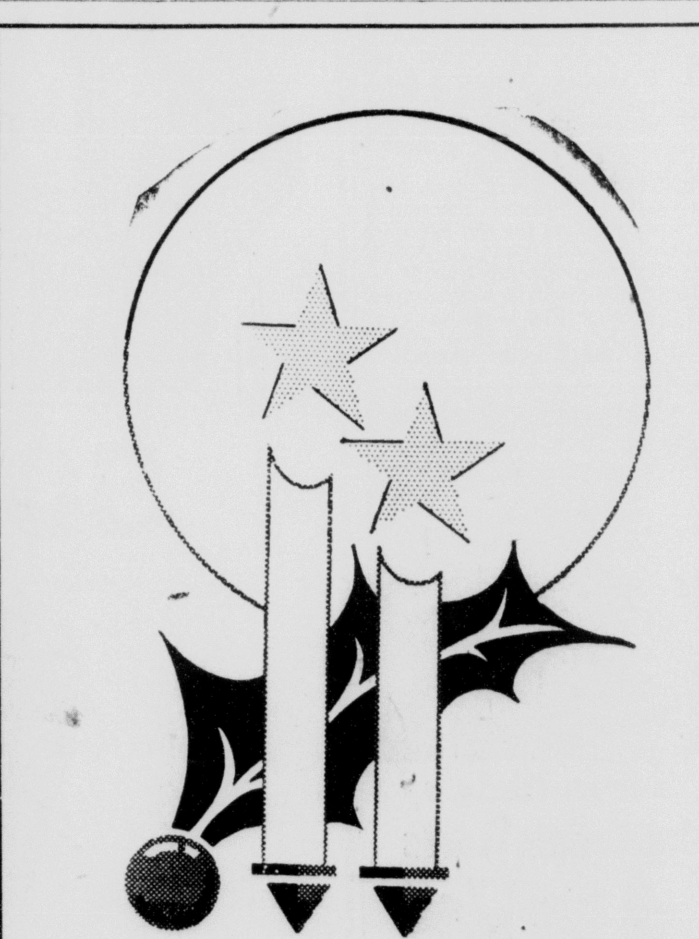
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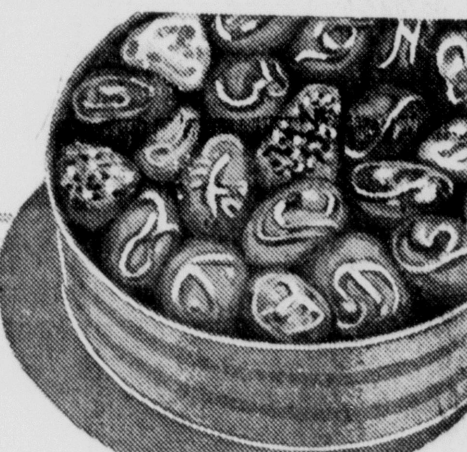
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**SYNOPSIS**

Tragedy stalks into the little village of Weyland, England, when an Ambrose Pennyfeather, a respected citizen, murdered. The local police cannot solve the murder, so Yves Blaydes-Steele enlists the aid of Sir John Meredith, former Scotland Yard ace, when the latter accompanies him next morning on a diplomatic mission for Yves' brother, Lord George Lanchester. For generations it has been the custom for the current Lord Lanchester to act as representative of the Crown in presenting the Dwan (sultan) of the Island of Sulungu with a priceless emerald as a token of good will between the two sovereigns dating since 1835, when the then Lord Lanchester deposed the tyrannical Dwan of the island and seated the latter's cousin on the throne. In recent years, Buna Thalan, the present ruler, has come to England to receive the gift, which has assumed even greater international importance, for Japan is presumed to be eyeing the island, which is strategically located for a submarine base. There are now 100 jewels in the chain. Yves substitutes for his ill brother and goes to receive necklace from the Dwan to have the new emerald added. Yves and Sir John receive a cool reception from the Sultan, who obviously distrusts them. They bring the necklace to London and are stunned to learn it is an imitation. Sir John cautions Monachet, the jeweler, and Yves to say nothing of their discovery. Then, in the presence of Monachet and two witnesses, Sir John forges the jeweler's name to a receipt for the genuine necklace. Then he and Yves return to the Dwan's residence, where they escape a barrage of flying knives. When the confront Buna Thalan, there is neither fear nor bewilderment in his face—just anger. Outside the door, his men are clamouring for the kill.

**CHAPTER NINE**

"So the police have failed?" said the Dwan calmly. "I suppose that, not content with making an attempt upon the necklace, my cousin intends to have me assassinated." He nodded with perfect calmness and shrugged. "What is written is written," he added philosophically.

"The police?" echoed Blaydes-Steele. "Cousins? Assassinated? I say, Dwan, what is all this?"

"Shut up!" exclaimed Meredith, glancing at the double doors which now sagged beneath the repeated blows from the outside. "Get round this side of the desk."

Instinctively Yves obeyed and Sir John also stepped round the desk until he was standing beside the young sultan. "You'll find a gun in that drawer," said Meredith. "Get it."

Yves opened the drawer and found a small-calibered revolver.

"Cover this man with it," directed Meredith. Then he said, "I'm sorry about this, Dwan sahib. I'll explain later but if your men get in and knock me off, you'll get no explanation at all. As soon as they break in, tell them that if they make one suspicious move, you'll join your ancestors. If you do this, you have my word that we have no designs upon your life or property."

"Your word!" sneered the Dwan. "Do you think I am afraid?"

Meredith's reply was lost in the sudden crash as the two sides of the door smashed back on their hinges, sniveling against the wall. A horde of little Sulungese tumbled into the room, most of them carrying wicked looking knives. They halted abruptly as they saw the tableau presented for their benefit.

"They might get one of us, Dwan sahib," urged Meredith, "but one of us would kill you first."

"You leave me little choice," he hesitated a moment. "Very well," he said. "If I die now or in five minutes it can make little difference."

His Highness barked an order and the crowd of little, white-clad men seemed to hesitate. Meredith decided on a desperate gamble.

"Dwan sahib," Sir John said quickly, "to prove we have no designs upon your person or property, we will lay down our weapons upon the table in front of you."

The young sultan looked up frowning incredulity. Over the barrel of Meredith's automatic, the eyes of the two men met and held. "If you did that my people would instantly destroy you," he said.

"Not if you told them to hold off until you ordered our deaths," Sir John looked across at Blaydes-Steele. "You agree to do this?"

"Absolutely," agreed Yves. "But I don't think that will be necessary," said Meredith and laid his automatic on the table in front of the sultan. Yves unhesitatingly placed his weapon beside it.

Instantly the Sulungese began to surge forward but were once more arrested almost in mid-stride by the voice of their Dwan.

"Your Highness," said Meredith, "if you prefer to have your people remain in the room during our talk by all means do so. Neither Mr. Blaydes-Steele nor I have the least objection."

The prince remarked coldly, "This may be a trick, but somehow I do not think it is."

"If isn't," assured Meredith smiling.

For several seconds, the two men held each other's eyes and then the Dwan nodded. "I believe you," he said.

He spoke rapidly in Sulungese and directly his people departed.

A moment later, Meredith and Blaydes-Steele were alone in the room with the young Sultan of Sulungu while some effort was being made from the corridor outside to close the shattered doors.

looked at them and said, "I suppose you really are Mr. Blaydes-Steele and Sir John Meredith?"

"Good lord, yes!" emphasized Yves.

"Then I suppose the necklace has been stolen," said the Dwan quietly.

"I'm afraid your supposition is correct," agreed Meredith. "Would you tell us what you know of this affair?"

Buna Thalan leaned back in his chair, crossed his legs, and addressed himself to Meredith. "To start the discussion, I take it that what Mr. Blaydes-Steele said about you was true. I mean," he added, "about your having been at Scotland Yard?"

"Yes," said John.

"In that case, Sir John," said the Dwan, "you know a Chief Inspector Bradford?"

"Very well indeed," nodded Meredith. "Where does he fit into this?"

"This morning, at about ten minutes to nine, my secretary informed me that Scotland Yard was in the telephone and wished to speak to me urgently. I answered and a man's voice spoke to me."

"Can you remember the exact way he addressed you?" asked Meredith.

"Yes," said Buna Thalan. "He said 'Scotland Yard here. Am I speaking to His Highness, the Dwan of Sulungu?'"

Meredith frowned. "Are you sure he used the word Dwan?" he asked.

Buna Thalan smiled. "Well, as a matter of fact he pronounced it 'Dwan'."

"Oh," said Meredith rather blankly. "That does sound like headquarters. Right, sir! Please go on."

"I told them that I was speaking and they informed me that Chief Inspector Bradford of the Criminal

Investigation Department would like a word with me. A moment later another man's voice came over the wire which informed me that it was Chief Inspector Bradford."

Once again Meredith interrupted him. "Can you remember," he asked leaning forward, "if there was a pause between the first man talking to you and Bradford, or any clicks, or anything such as occur when an office is switched through from a central control board?"

Buna Thalan shook his head. "I am quite sure there were not," he said. "It was just another man speaking immediately on the same line. I am sure of that. Well, this Mr. Bradford told me that he had information to the effect that there was going to be an attempt made to steal the necklace. I must say the method to be used seemed extremely ingenious."

"I think I can tell you what it was," remarked Meredith. "You were warned. I suppose, that two persons purporting to be Mr. Blaydes-Steele and Sir John Meredith would present themselves to collect the necklace, that they would be extremely plausible and quite acquainted with the circumstances which made it impossible for Lord Lanchester to come himself, et cetera, et cetera?"

"Exactly," nodded the Sultan.

"Further, it was suggested to you that you should give them the imitation necklace and allow them to drive away with it. This, I should imagine, was so that the authorities could catch them red-handed in an attempt at theft?"

"Exactly," said the Dwan again.

"Later in the morning, I suppose, somebody purporting to be the real Mr. Blaydes-Steele made his appearance together with, possibly, some large, bowler-hatted gentlemen who were introduced as plain-

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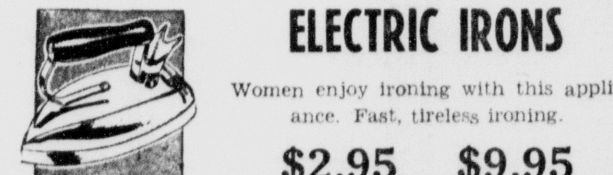


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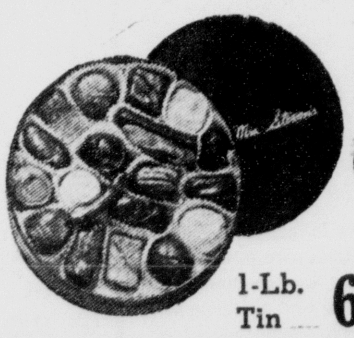
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# Althouse Motors Top Carroll Club In Fast, Close Battle, 34-32

## CAVALIERS TRIM CHINAS; DEMINGS DEFEAT PRESBYS

Shophen Squeeze out 21-20 Win For Fourth of Present Season

The Carroll Club dropped another close one last night as they were defeated on the Memorial Building floor by the Althouse Motors, 34-32. The game was close, fast and exceedingly rough at times as can be attested to by the fact that the Carrolls made 12 penalty shots.

Paced by Al Catlos and Frank Fowler who made 10 and nine points respectively, the Motors played some fine ball. Solo dashes up and down the floor were a common occurrence as members of both squads tried desperately to score. After acquiring a 10-point lead, the Althouse Motors tried to freeze the ball with little success. The Carrolls refused to be counted out of the proceedings and managed to convert some bad passes by the Althouse team into two pointers.

Al Catlos and Frank Fowler walked off with individual honors for the winners while Malloy and Bob "Buck" Ritchie copped top honors in the scoring department for the losers with eight and seven points respectively.

**Oana Faces Presbys**  
In the first Class B game of the evening, Demings ran into some unexpected opposition as they tackled the supposedly weak Presbyterian five. Battered by the temporary addition of Mike Oana to the squad, the Presbys made a battle of it right to the end. As it was, Demings came out of the fray with a 21-20 victory. Gordy Allen, rangy pivotman, featured for the winners as he collected eight tallies while Mike Oana, ex-high star, dropped in nine to lead the Presbys.

Led by Don "Sal" Fred, who tipped in eight points, the Cavaliers racked up their first win of the season at the expense of a none-too-strong Salem China quintet. Taking an early lead, the Cavs gradually increased their edge and finally jerked their starting five to keep from running up a larger score than they did. Close behind Fred in scoring were Bill Theiss and Fitz Lefty Schmid, both Cavaliers, who tallied six and four points respectively.

George Baillie also contributed four markers to the Cavalier cause. Schmid at present is a member of the Ohio University freshmen squad while Baillie played his basketball for Salem High the last two years.

SALEM CHINA-10	G.	F.	T.
Fillis	0	2	2
Beamer	0	1	1
Kachner	1	0	2
Evans	0	0	0
Julian	0	1	1
Atkinson	0	0	0
R. Krepps	1	0	2
B. Krepps	1	0	2
Totals	4	3	10

CAVALIERS-25	G.	F.	T.
Fred	4	0	8
Schmid	2	0	4
Theiss	3	0	6
Weigand	0	0	0
Hornung	0	1	1
Shoe	1	0	2
Baillie	1	2	4
Tinsley	0	0	0
Totals	11	3	25

ALTHOUSE-34	G.	F.	T.
Ontos	5	0	10
Drablich	0	3	3
Shaffer	3	0	6
Scullion	0	0	0
Guadagnone	2	0	4
F. Jefferies	1	0	2
Fowler	4	1	9
Totals	15	4	34

CARROLL CLUB-32	G.	F.	T.
Ritchie	3	2	7
Klees	1	0	2
M. Thomas	2	2	6
O. Field	0	0	0
Mallow	3	2	8
Umberger	0	5	5
Minanyer	2	0	4
Totals	10	12	32

DEMINGS-21	G.	F.	T.
Jones	0	0	0
Fineran	0	0	0
Allen	3	2	8
Readshaw	2	0	4
B. Readshaw	1	5	7
Catlos	0	1	1
Holmes	0	1	1
Totals	6	9	21

PRESBYS-20	G.	F.	T.
Oana	4	1	9
Shasteen	1	0	2
P. Nocera	3	1	7
Wagner	0	0	0
C. Nocera	0	0	0
Bloor	1	0	2
Totals	9	2	20

## Bucks Defeated by Creighton, 60-34

OMAHA, Dec. 23—The first stop on Ohio State's cross-country tour brought the Buckeye cagers their first defeat of the season at the hands of Creighton's Bluejays here last night.

Creighton thumped the Bucks, 60 to 34, holding the high scoring Dick Fisher to one basket and two free throws.

In four meetings with Ohio State in the first Creighton victory, the Bluejays won the first two starts of the season.

Under defense were pointed out by Joe Tost and Capt. Gene Haldeman who scored 13 and 12 points, respectively.

## BOWLING RESULTS

Fernengels increased their lead slightly in the American league as they annexed two games at the expense of Fitzpatrick on the Masonic alleys last night.

Peoples Lumber pulled up into a tie with Demings for second place by winning two from Leases while Demings were dropping two to the American Laundry. Firestones pulled up into fighting position for league honors as they stopped the Electric Furnace twice.

Way Berger of Fitzpatrick led the way with a 613 on games of 227, 196, 190, Caldwell had a 215 and Craig a 201. Their opponents, Fernengels, posted four 200 games. Red White with a 212, Dick Konnerth with 209 and Ralph Hawley with 201 and 202.

John Arnold and George Hempstead each had 201, Bill Talbott had a 208 and Merv Thomas an even 200.

The Arcos slipped into first place in the Quaker City League standings although idle last night as the Althouse Motors took a pair of games from the Lape. High scores were a common occurrence in the match as Earl Grate took top honors with a 236 his last game. Others who hit the charmed "200" circle were Armstrong and Willis of Althouse who rolled 214 and 209, respectively, and H. Ward of the losers, who hit a 212 in his second game. The Motors also rolled over 200 their last game as they hit a 342 total.

The Golden Eagle five failed to take advantage of the Arcos' idleness to gain ground as they were shut out by Capel's DeRhodes posted the only game over 200 in the match leading off with a 201.

Gonda and Bliss, fourth and fifth place teams, battled last night and when the smoke had cleared it was found that Bliss had come out victorious in a pair of games and as a result gained a fourth place dead-lock with their opponents.

In other matches of the evening, the Masons won a forfeit match from the Salem Motors as Mike Hutter paced them with a 210 his second game, and Coy's copped two from Hawk's. England rolled a 212 and Sexton of the Hawk's hit a 207.

In a special match bowled at the Grate alleys last night, Sterling's topped Zimmerman's three games. Knupp and R. Donbar of Sterling's rolled a 206 and 204 respectively while Oesch rolled an even 200 for the losers.

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Fernengels	29	13	.690
Peoples Lumber	28	17	.622
Demings	28	17	.622
Firestones	26	19	.578
American Laundry	23	22	.511
Fitzpatrick	17	28	.378
Electric Furnace	15	27	.357
Leases	11	34	.244

FERNENGELS			
	W	L	T
M. White	178	194	212
Hawley	201	157	202
Konnerth	149	209	189
T. Reese	179	195	165
Blind	160	154	143
Totals	867	909	902

FITZPATRICKS			
	W	L	T
Berger	227	196	190
Burfin	167	154	321
Caldwell	190	165	215
DeRienzo	160	143	303
Craig	201	179	191
Schrom	176	147	373
Totals	945	870	886

PEOPLES LUMBER			
	W	L	T
Arnold	194	186	201
Fieldhouse	177	167	181
Campbell	162	122	145
Stacy	153	143	186
Totals	686	618	713

LEASES			
	W	L	T
Vesey	198	157	142
Ulichney	167	153	138
H. Meissner	138	199	171
W. Meissner	155	190	190
Totals	658	609	641

AMERICAN LAUNDRY			
	W	L	T
Slagle	146	158	168
Carey	159	165	159
Hempstead	164	167	201
Youtz	171	167	165
Oesch	167	163	159
Totals	807	820	852

DEMINGS			
	W	L	T
Lottman	172	168	174
Morian	147	143	155
Lind	134	180	188
Meier	187	158	152
Knowles	166	180	179
Totals	805	824	848

ELECTRIC FURNACE			
	W	L	T
McClaskey	199	153	159
Sidinger	190	180	145
Gang	193	159	169
Burrell	180	181	174
Stewart	141	160	183
Totals	900	833	830

FIRESTONES			
	W	L	T
Beck	188	158	161
H. Reese	179	175	354
Talbott	191	208	159
Juergens	177	156	159
Thomas	200	180	197
Blind	141	167	141
Totals	897	881	851

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## ELMER RIDDLE, RED HURLER, IS NAMED 'PITCHER OF YEAR'

19-Game Winner Compiles Year's Lowest Earned Run Average

By JUDSON BAILEY  
NEW YORK, Dec. 23—Elmer Riddle, still a comparative unknown to many fans despite his sensational hurling for the Cincinnati Reds last season, received today his accolade as the "pitcher of the year."

The National League released its official pitching records showing the stocky 24-year-old Georgia boy had surpassed all other twirlers in the major leagues in both earned-run average and winning percentage, bringing the pitching championship to Cincinnati for the third straight year.

Riddle won 19 games and lost four while achieving the low earned-run average of 2.24 per nine-inning game for the best mark of effectiveness since Carl Hubbell set the league record of 1.66 in 1933.

"Grover Cleveland Alexander, while pitching for Philadelphia in 1915, set the mark for right-handers at 1.22."

The young right-hander had to win 11 straight to pry the public's attention away from the Whitlow Wyatts and Bobby Fellers, and even then his real value scarcely was realized.

**Riddle To Manager**  
Elmer was even a riddle to his own manager till the teams were deep into the schedule. He rode around with the Reds for the entire 1940 season and got to pitch only 34 innings. He hurled one complete game and appeared in a relief role in 14 contests, 12 of which he finished.

For that freshman year, largely a tour of observation, Riddle had the spectacularly low earned-run average of 1.8. This intrigued Manager Bill McKechnie, but not enough for him to give his quiet, almost bashful sophomore a starting chance this year until the Reds were hopelessly out of the race and the Boston Braves were in town on May 20.

Riddle won that game and 10 more before he was defeated by Brooklyn July 23. From the time Elmer started his string till the end of the season the Reds were the most consistent club in the senior circuit.

Altogether Riddle started 22 games, relieved in 11 others, and pitched 217 innings. He had only four shutouts, but allowed just 38 runs, both earned and unearned, for the lowest total of any pitcher who worked in more than 200 innings.

Riddle's fine National League performance compared with a 2.37 earned-run average for Thornton Lee and the 15 won 5 lost record of Lefty Gomez, the leading pitchers of the American League.

**The Finest Staff**  
The official records today showed the pennant-winning Dodgers had the finest pitching staff in the senior circuit, led, of course, by Whitlow Wyatt and Kirby Higbe. Each of these sturdy right-handers won 22 games, the only hurlers in the league to get into the 20-game bracket. Wyatt was second to Riddle in effectiveness with an earned-run average of 2.34 and Higbe ranked second in winning percentage with his 22 victories and nine defeats.

Ernie White, ace of the St. Louis Cardinals, was third in both departments, winning 17 and losing seven with an earned-run average of 2.40.

Bucky Walters, who topped the National League pitcher last year, and his Cincinnati teammate Johnny Vander Meer, tied for fourth in the earned-run ranking with 2.83 while Curt Davis of Brooklyn completed the cast of pitchers under the 3.00 level with a 2.98 rating.

Walters, for the second straight year, pitched the most complete game, 27, in the most innings, 302, and allowed the fewest hits, 292. But he and his teammates were not the workhorses of the season, 48; started the most games, 39, and faced the most batters, 1,266. For the third consecutive year he gave up the most bases on balls, 132.

Wyatt led in shutouts with seven. The only no-hitter was achieved by the Veteran Lou Warneke of St. Louis Aug. 30 at Cincinnati.

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Althouse	35	13	.729
Golden Eagle	39	18	.685
Lape Hotel	26	22	.542
Gonda	25	23	.521
Bliss	25	23	.521
Capel's	24	24	.500
Coy's	23	25	.479
Masons	22	26	.458
Polo Club	17	28	.378
Salem Motor	15	33	.313
Hawks	10	38	.208

COY'S			
	W	L	T
Smith	164	159	215
Herron	182	160	163
Coy	162	121	121
Harroff	158	178	143
England	151	212	173
Day	135	135	135
Totals	817	830	829

HAWKS			
	W	L	T
Sexton	207	129	142
Mattix	165	168	113
Biggins	155	114	269
Flugan	131	120	163
Blind	151	121	135
Hawk	117	117	117
Handicap	22	22	31
Totals	831	674	701

MASON'S			
	W	L	T
Myers	160	135	167
Prebly	117	165	146
R. Wright	192	171	125
Hutter	167	210	135
Totals	636	681	563

SALEM MOTOR—Forfeit.			
	W	L	T
BLISS	181	206	137
G. Nan	139	147	146
Harshman	142	163	166
Reiter	144	119	104
Burd	134	160	122
N. Nan	141	133	107
Handicap	41	33	33
Totals	778	828	708

GONDA			
	W	L	T
J. Potts	115	178	148
J. Drotloff	157	141	153
Debnar	130	148	145
Rowand	147	175	170
Wiekart	138	173	103
Schuster	115	178	148
Totals	666	780	743

CAPELS			
	W	L	T
B. Capel	147	108	181
A. Meier	187	160	130
R. Capel	124	175	162
Hodge	140	145	112
DeRhodes	201	162	154
Handicap	15	15	15
Totals	814	765	754

GOLDEN EAGLE			
	W	L	T
Mitchell	137	136	145
Walker	137	182	146
Hammel	132	177	126
Caplan	152	171	154
Blind	124	108	112
Totals	682	674	683

LAPE			
	W	L	T
H. Ward	169	212	194
F. Brian	179	145	167
A. Brian	161	168	146
D. Matthews	179	122	108
G. Baillie	168	151	129
Handicap	447	47	47
Totals	903	845	791

ALTHOUSE			
	W	L	T
Armstrong	169	214	178
Althouse	151	183	152
Haessly	187	139	167
Willis	166	186	209
Grate	159	159	239
Totals	832	881	942

ZIMMERMAN OLDS			
	W	L	T
Slagle	156	141	147
Goid	141	152	179
Roberts	139	134	145
Knowles	177	146	164
Oesch	153	173	200
Totals	786		



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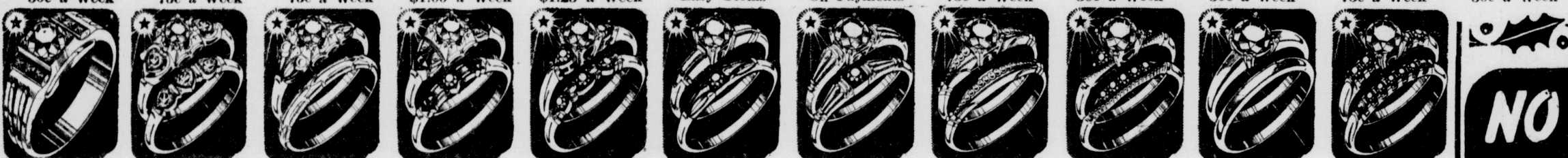
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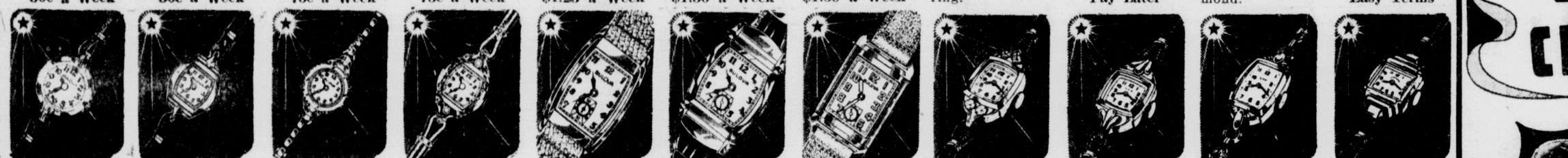
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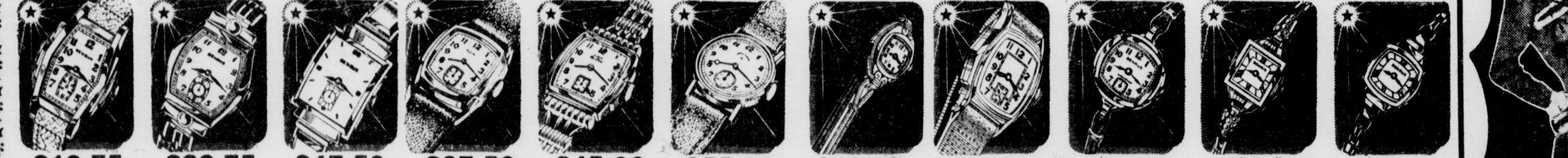
<b>\$19.75</b> Beautifully en- graved diamond engagement ring. 50c a Week	<b>\$27.50</b> Fine diamond engraved mount- ing. 75c a Week	<b>\$37.50</b> Modern engage- ment ring style. Genuine diamond 75c a Week	<b>\$42.50</b> 3-diamond en- gagement ring. Yellow gold. \$1.00 a Week	<b>\$57.50</b> Exquisite en- gagement ring. 3 diamonds. \$1.25 a Week	<b>\$75.00</b> 5 diamonds... yellow gold en- gagement ring. Easy Terms	<b>\$99.50</b> Center diamond and 6 side dia- monds. On Payments	<b>\$29.75</b> Sparkling Zircon with 2 genuine diamonds. 75c a Week	<b>\$10.95</b> New wide style engraved wed- ding ring. 50c a Week	<b>\$14.95</b> 3 diamond wed- ding ring. Gift value! 50c a Week	<b>\$37.50</b> 3 diamonds in a handsome ring for men. 75c a Week	<b>\$19.75</b> New style mount- ing with 6 side diamonds. 50c a Week
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<b>\$24.75</b> Yellow gold man's ring with genuine dia- mond. 50c a Week	<b>\$25.00</b> Bridal ensemble with a sparkling diamond 50c a Week	<b>\$37.50</b> Beautifully en- graved pair with genuine diamond 75c a Week	<b>\$37.50</b> Each ring with a sparkling dia- mond and 2 sim- ulated rubies. 75c a Week	<b>\$50.00</b> 3 diamonds in each of these lovely rings. \$1.00 a Week \$1.25 a Week	<b>\$62.50</b> Bridal ensemble each ring with a genuine dia- mond. \$1.50 a Week	<b>\$75.00</b> Modern styling, fine diamond in each lovely ring \$1.50 a Week	<b>\$75.00</b> Engagement ring with a genuine diamond. Match- ing wedding ring. 75c a Week	<b>\$100</b> 5 diamonds in each lovely yel- low gold ring. Pay Later	<b>\$125</b> Modern simpli- ty... engage- ment ring with a sparkling dia- mond. 50c a Week	<b>\$125</b> 5 diamonds in each lovely ring. Easy Terms
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<b>\$27.75</b> Bulova, 17 jew- els, silk cord band. 50c a Week	<b>\$33.75</b> Bulova, yellow gold color, 17 jewels. 75c a Week	<b>\$42.50</b> Bulova, match- ing case and bracelet. \$1.00 a Week	<b>\$47.50</b> Bulova, 2 fine diamonds. De- pendable. \$1.00 a Week	<b>\$34.75</b> Bulova, 15 jew- els, yellow gold color. 75c a Week	<b>\$27.50</b> Bulova, match- ing case and bracelet. 50c a Week	<b>\$55.00</b> Bulova, guaran- teed dependabil- ity, leather band \$1.25 a Week	<b>\$27.50</b> Elgin, 15 jewel Rose gold. 75c a Week	<b>\$33.75</b> Elgin, attractive case. Silk cord band. 75c a Week	<b>\$37.50</b> Elgin, matching case and brace- let. 75c a Week	<b>\$55.00</b> Elgin, 19 jewels Dependability. \$1.25 a Week
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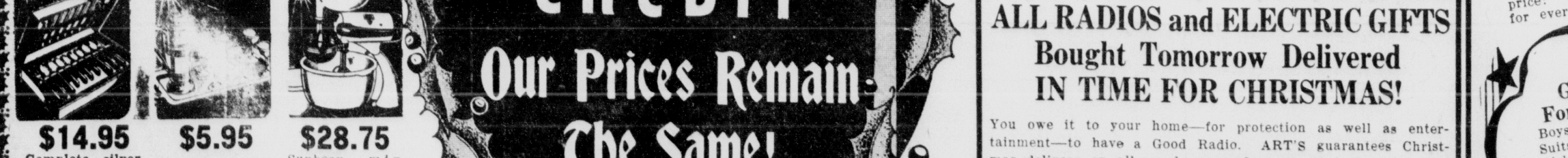
<b>\$19.75</b> Benrus, dainty dependable timekeeper 50c a Week	<b>\$33.75</b> Benrus, 17 jewel model for men. 75c a Week	<b>\$47.50</b> Benrus, smart modern styling. Dependable. \$1.00 a Week	<b>\$27.50</b> Elgin, 15 jewels Rose color gold. 75c a Week	<b>\$45.00</b> Elgin, yellow gold color case and bracelet. \$1.00 a Week	<b>\$55.00</b> Elgin, 21 jewel watch for men. \$1.25 a Week	<b>\$12.95</b> Special, a dainty gold lady's watch for ladies 50c a Week	<b>\$12.45</b> Special, yellow gold color case. Leather band. 50c a Week	<b>\$19.75</b> Benrus, 17 jewel model for ladies 50c a Week	<b>\$37.50</b> Benrus, distinc- tive style case and bracelet. 75c a Week	<b>\$45.00</b> Benrus, match- ing case and bracelet. \$1.00 a Week
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<b>\$5.95</b> Ronsen "Pal" cigarette case and lighter. 50c a Week	<b>\$3.95</b> Matched brushes and comb in gift case. 50c a Week	<b>\$16.50</b> Man's birthstone with 2 fine dia- monds. 50c a Week	<b>\$14.95</b> Heavy gold man's ring with double head cameo. 50c a Week	<b>\$12.95</b> Attractive birth- stone for ladies. Genuine dia- mond. 50c a Week	<b>\$16.95</b> Lady's birth- stone ring with sparkling dia- monds. 50c a Week	<b>\$14.95</b> Exquisite soli- stone ring with love- cameo. 50c a Week	<b>\$12.95</b> Fine ring for ladies. Onyx top with sparkling diamond. 50c a Week	<b>\$8.95</b> Exquisitely en- graved cross and chain. Diamond set. 50c a Week	<b>\$9.95</b> Lapel watch, all the rage for sports, daytime or evening wear and chain. 50c a Week	<b>\$14.95</b> Thin style pock- et watch com- plete with knife and chain. 50c a Week
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<b>\$5.00</b> Famous Parker pen and pencil sets for men and women. 50c a Week	<b>\$3.95</b> Crome finish waffle iron. Mod- ern style. 50c a Week	<b>\$17.25</b> Toastermaster fa- mous two-slice toaster. Chrome finish. 75c a Week
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<b>\$14.95</b> Complete silver- plate service for 6 people. Lively pattern. 50c a Week	<b>\$5.95</b> 7 beautiful pic- es in matched design. Gift case easier. 50c a Week	<b>\$28.75</b> Sunbeam mix- master set, mak- es kitchen tasks easier. 75c a Week
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